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ELECT DIRECTORS TO CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION

G. E. BOYNTON IS NEW MEMBER —A. P. ARMINGTON AND C. H. STITELY RETURNED

DISCUSS BOULEVARD LIGHTING

Association Asks City Officials to Include Funds for Boulevard Lighting in Appropriation Ordinance.

The annual election of directors of the board of the Dixon Citizens' association was held last evening at the city hall. Two retiring directors, A. P. Armington and C. H. Stiteley, were returned to the board, but the third retiring director, H. U. Bardwell, was not a candidate for re-election because of his absence from the city a great part of the time, and G. E. Boynton, of the firm of Boynton-Richards, clothiers, was elected in his stead. O. H. Martin acted as chairman of the meeting.

All three men were elected unanimously.

Favor New Club.

A resolution was offered and passed unanimously that "The efforts of the younger men in Dixon to organize a young men's auxiliary club of the Dixon Citizens' association meets with the hearty approval of this association, and that a committee be appointed by the president of this association to confer with a committee from that branch of the organization to arrange financial details, etc."

The only other matter of importance brought up at the meeting was the boulevard lighting question. The committee soliciting funds has sufficient to install six blocks but lacks, at present, enough to install eight blocks, as they wish to do. They believe, however, that if the six blocks can be installed the merchants in the other two will soon want their lights, and it was therefore decided that it would be well for a committee of business men to see the members of the city commission and ask that the appropriation budget contain appropriation for lighting eight blocks with boulevard lights in the downtown section. The motion to appoint such a committee was passed and a committee of ten was delegated, after which the meeting adjourned.

Committee Sees Commissioners.

The committee of business men appointed at last evening's meeting of The iCtizens' association last night to the mayor and commissioners of Dixon a written and verbal request that the appropriation ordinance, which is about to be passed, contain appropriation for lighting eight blocks of boulevard lights in the downtown district, the posts to be installed at the expense of the merchants, met this morning and called on Commissioners Henry Schmidt, M. J. Gannon and J. D. Van Bibber and presented to them written requests for the desired appropriation. Each of the three commissioners expressed himself as being in favor of the appropriation for the boulevard lights, believing that they would be a great improvement to the city. The other two members of the council were not found in their places of business by the committee, but copies of the request were mailed to them.

Business Men Should Attend.

The Citizens' assaciation last night called upon all business men to be in the council chambers at the city hall Monday night when the commissioners hold their weekly meeting. The body will be asked again at that time to allow the appropriation.

TO POUR ASPHALT MONDAY.

Mr. Stypczynski, an expert of the Sarco company, will arrive in Dixon Monday to superintend the pouring of the asphalt filler on the pavement around the court house, which is the first of its kind used in Dixon. This filler will be poured at a temperature of 300 degrees.

G. A. R. POST EXTENDS AN INVITATION

Dixon Post No. 299 extends a cordial invitation to Co. G, Rock River Military Academy cadets and all civic orders of the city to join with them in their Memorial day exercises, May 30th.

BULLETIN

NAT GOODWIN TAKES ANOTHE RLEAP

Los Angeles, Cal., May 24—Special to Telegraph—Nat Goodwin, the famous actor, made his fifth attempt at matrimony today when he wedded Miss Marjorie Moreland. Miss Moreland is Goodwin's fifth wife.

DUEL FATAL TO BYSTANDERS.

Marigold, Miss., May 24—Special to Telegraph—Marion Henry and John Law fought a duel on the street here today. Two bystanders were killed and many wounded by the bullets from the guns of the duelists. The principals in the affray were uninjured.

CAR HITS AUTO.

Chicago, May 24—Special to Telegraph—One person was killed and several more were badly hurt today when a street car crashed into an automobile.

STEWARD GRADUATION WAS WELL ATTENDED

FOURTEEN PUPILS RECEIVED DIPLOMAS THERE LAST EVENING.

The graduation exercises of the Steward schools, which were held last evening at Steward, were exceptionally interesting and were attended by a large number of friends and patrons of the schools. The following were the graduates: Luella Johnson, Florence Sherlock, Ella Holton, Kenneth Foster, Ray Titus, Amos Richardson, Alvin Detigo, Guy Henry, George Kock, Joseph Andes, Leone Bowker, Helen Oakland, Herman Wright and Clarence Osborne.

"HAPPY TOWN" WAS GREAT SUCCESS

A CROWDED HOUSE GREETED HOME TALENT PLAY LAST EVENING.

Fifteen Miles to Happy Town was presented last evening at the Y. auditorium to a crowded house and was thoroughly enjoyed. The play was under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church and every member of the cast deserves creditable mention for the manner in which the play was presented. It is a light little comedy interspersed with solos and choruses and one that would delight the most exacting, and the cost of last night's production made it possible for a delightful evening's entertainment.

The solos by Miss Crissman and Mr. Bailey were especially pleasing and the chorus work under the direction of Miss Crissman was delightful.

Taking the production as a whole, it was most admirably presented and the Young Ladies' Auxiliary deserves credit for its painstaking effort.

DIXON FIRM SUES W. F. LIPP OF STERLING

Sterling Gazette: This afternoon in the Whiteside county circuit court a praecipe was filed by Oliver Rogers and D. C. Owens, partners, against W. F. Lipp for $1,000. The case is entitled trespass on the case on promise and grows out of the Rogers Printing Co. of Dixon.

LEE CENTER AND NACHUSA BOOKS ARE IN

Assessors A. M. McCrea of Lee Center and George Emmert of Nachusa have returned their books to County Treasurer Frank C. Vaughan, who is ex-officio supervisor of assessments It is expected that all of the books will be returned by the end of next week.

LUTHER BACHUS' BROTHER WILL PLAY FIFE FRIDAY

Luther Bachus has received word that his brother Jim of Aurora, who has played the fife in every Memorial parade for several years, will be here again next Friday to assist in the celebration of the day.

Mino Gerbers of Ashton was here today.

PEACE ON EARTH GEORGE V. URGES

ENGLAND'S KING GUEST OF KAISER, MAKES PLEA AT LUNCHEON FOR BRITONS.

KAISER'S DAUGHTER A BRIDE

Princess Victoria Loise Wedded to Prince Ernest, Who Becomes the Ruler of New State Created by Emperor William.

Berlin, May 24.—"The preservation of peace is my fervent desire, as it was the chief aim and object of my dear father's life," declared King George of England at a luncheon given by the British ambassador to the members of royalty, who are assembled here in attendance on the wedding of Princess Victoria Louise, Emperor William's only daughter, and Prince Ernest of Cumberland.

Sounds First Political Note.

This is the first political note sounded during the wedding ceremonies of Emperor William's only daughter, for which three emperors and many princes are gathered. The king's words seem, according to the opinion expressed in influential circles, to epitomize the chief significance of the royal visits as a demonstration of the peaceful and friendly relations among the three powerful dynasties.

King and Queen at Luncheon.

King George and Queen Mary were the guests at luncheon of the British ambassador, those present including Imperial Chancellor von Bethmann-Hollweg and John G. A. Leishman, United States ambassador to Germany. At the same time Emperor Nicholas of Russia was the guest at luncheon of the Russian ambassador.

Kaiser's Daughter a Bride.

Love and diplomacy entered into the marriage today of Princess Victoria Louise and Prince Ernst August, youngest son of the duke of Cumberland.

In brilliancy and in point of the great number of royal personages present the nuptials far outshone any similar event during the past decade. Kings, monarchs of lesser rank and crown princes and princesses saw the fair-haired, blue-eyed twenty-one-year-old daughter of the German kaiser become the wife of the strapping twenty-six-year-old prince, and with the ceremony was healed a breach between the houses of Hohenzollern and Guelph which had existed for about half a century. The ceremonies really began two days ago, with the marriage ceremonies today as the climax. The civil ceremony took place in the new marble palace at Potsdam; the religious rites were celebrated in this city.

Pretty Girl Attendants.

Princess Victoria Louise had for her attendants three of the prettiest girls of her own caste in Europe. They were Princess Mary, daughter of King George and Queen Mary of England; Princess Elizabeth, daughter of King Charles of Roumania; Grand Duchess Olga, eldest daughter of the Czar of Russia, and Princess Yolanda of Italy.

As would be imagined, the wedding gifts are almost fabulous. Their value is estimated at close to $3,000,000. The kaiser was so glad that the old quarrel with the house of Guelph was settled that, after the marriage had been arranged, he promised to create a new German state and make the groom the ruler of it. Accordingly Prince Ernst today became the duke of Brunswick and the grand duke of Luneburg. This gives the young husband a responsible job and makes him the equal in rank with the kings of Saxony and Wurtemburg and the prince regent of Bavaria. A considerable portion of the province of Hanover, which belongs to Prussia, was added to the new states.

ROCHELLE LADY RECOVERS AT LOCAL HOSPITAL

Mrs. S. J. Kennedy of Rochelle, who recently submitted to an operation at the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital, is reported to be recovering most satisfactorily. She was visited yesterday by Mesdames W. B. McHenry and Fred Wirick and Miss Ida Kennedy, all of Rochelle.

FIELD MEET AT OREGON.

Orgon, Ill., May 24—Special — The high schools of Ogle county are represented here today in a field meet that is in progress. Delegations of athletes are competing from Polo, Oregon, Byron and Rochelle. The meet was to have been held in Polo accoridng to arrangements, but the condition of the grounds there made the shift to Oregon necessary.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE FOUNDING OF BAPTIST CHURCH CELEBRATION

FINE TALENT SECURED FOR THE PROGRAM—ELABORATE PREPARATIONS.

Elaborate preparations are being made for the celebration of the 75th anniversary of the founding of the Baptist church, Wednesday, May 28, the Anniversary day, there will be held a commemoration service in which the other Dixon churches will unite. Messages from former pastors of the church will be read and hymns composed for the occasion will be sung. Rev. W. J. Peacock, Moderator of the Baptist association of this district, will give the address.

On the following Sunday, June 1, there will be three important services. Sunday morning at 10:45 the Anniversary sermon will be preached. This will take account of the 75 years of history of the church and will bring to light many an important personage that has figured prominently in the life of the church.

The second service of the day will be at 3 p. m. Dean Shailer Matthews of Chicago will give the Anniversary oration. Dean Matthews is dean of the Divinity school of the University of Chicago, president of the Federal Council of the Churches of America and an author of note. The church is very fortunate in being able to secure Dean Mattthews for his occasion.

The third service of the day will be at 7:30 p. m. and will be the Anniversary Praise service. An excellent program of appropriate music has been arranged and this will be a most fitting close for the religious festivities of the season. Programs of the different services will be published later.

SOUTH SIDE TEACHERS ON ANXIOUS SEAT

NONE OF THEM HAVE BEEN RE-ENGAGED FOR THE NEXT SCHOOL YEAR.

The teachers of the south side schools have a feeling of anxiety as to what course the board of education is going to pursue in engaging a faculty for next year. Heretofore nearly all of the teachers have been engaged before the middle of May, but thus far the board has not signified its intention regarding the re-engagement of any of the present force, even the superintendent not having been hired for next year.

Inasmuch as nearly all the schools of this vicinity have their faculties engaged for the ensuing school year the teachers in the Dixon schools are awaiting with anxious interest the action of the teachers' committee of the board, which had announced a meeting for last evening. The meeting was not held, however, and consequently the pedagogues are wondering what the outcome of the situation will be.

WILL NOT STAMP TIME OF RECEIPT ON LETTERS

Postmaster Frey is in receipt of a notice from Postmaster General Burleson to the effect that back stamping on first class mail matter will be discontinued in the near future. This means that the hour of receiving a letter at the local postoffice will not be noted on the envelope in the near future.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Saturday

Invincibles with Miss Reynolds.

Tag Day in all Dixon.

Dance at New Armory for Tag Day.

Sunday

Light Bearers, at Methodist church at 3:00.

Memorial Services at Palmyra Church.

Wednesday

Ladies' Auxiliary of Y. M. C. A. with Mrs. Wm. Beier.

Informal dance at Elks.

Friday

Memorial Exercises.

MIKADO ON MEND NO NEED OF ALARM

CONDITION OF EMPEROR OF JAPAN SATISFACTORY TO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS.

BAR ON ALIENS IS URGED

Representative Sisson Attacks Position That Treaty Making Supersedes Power of States—Is Answered by Bartholdt.

Tokyo, May 24.—The morning bulletin, issued by the court physicians, announced that the mikado's temperature has fallen to 99.2 degrees. His pulse is 76 and respiration 26.

Government officials said the emperor passed a favorable night, that his condition was now satisfactory, and that there was no cause for anxiety.

A ministerial order issued early authorized the reopening of theaters and other places of entertainment.

Offers Bill to Curb States.

Washington, May 24.—The Japanese-California embroglio was reflected in the house when Representative Sisson of Mississippi made his much-advertised speech and drew from Representative Bartholdt of Missouri and Minority Leader Mann a spirited defense of treaty obliations.

Mr. Sisson's speech was comparatively mild, his keynote being "America's right to control her own soil."

In addition to replying to Representative Sisson, Representative Barthodt offered a resolution proposing an amendment to the Constitution to provide that congress shall have the exclusive right to legislate on questions affecting the rights and privileges of citizens of other countries residing in the United States and the relations of the United States with other countries.

In support of his resolution the Missouri member said that long before the Japanese question arose the impotence of the national government with regard to independent legislation of states affecting treaty rights was a curious defect in our scheme of government.

"The question is, are we a nation with a big N or merely a federation of states?" demanded Mr. Bartholdt.

Take Issue on Treaties.

Mr. Sisson took the view that treaties are a menace, while Mr. Bartholdt looked upon them as a benefit. Treaties between nations, the latter contended, are the same as contracts between private parties—both being designed to secure peaceful conditions. Mr. Bartholdt agreed with much that Mr. Sisson said as to one government having no right to interfere in the domestic affairs of another, but he resented the spirit of the Mississippian's speech, because it emphasized the selfishness of a nation—a selfishness which was exemplified when the national government was compelled to take the part of a state that disregarded international agreements. He deplored selfishness in nations as much as in individuals.

The issue joined in the house aroused much speculation among congressmen who are versed in international affairs with respect to the move Japan might make in seeking redress for the action taken in California. There is a belief that Japan may disregard the specific action of California, but demand of the United States government that its subjects be made eligible to naturalization.

A PRACTICAL JOKE.

Caspar Leo of this city was standing on the corner of First street and Galena avenue this afternoon when bystanders discovered that he was on fire. Smoke was rolling from his side pocket and soon sparks appeared. He was rushed into a nearby store by a rescue party and the fire extinguished before actual flames appeared. It is reported that the fire was of incendiary origin, coming from the stump of a live cigar, which some thoughtless villian had absent mindedly dropped in Caspar's pocket.

WEATHER REPORT

The following report of high and low temperatures and precipitation is taken each morning at 7 o'clock and is for the preceding 24 hours:

	Max	Min.	Precip.
Sunday	70	48	
Monday	69	46	
Tuesday	67	45	.33
Tuesday	68	51	.65
Thursday	68	49	
Friday	55	48	
Saturday	63	43	

Sam Argraves of Compton was in Dixon today.

INTEREST GREAT IN TOMORROWS CONTEST

STARS AND FREEPORT ATHLETICS WILL MEET AT 2:45 O'CLOCK.

Tomorrow afternoon at Athletic Park the Dixon Stars will meet the strongest of the Freeport teams when they engage the fast Athletics of the Pretzel city at 2:45 o'clock, the earlier starting hour being necessary to enable the visitors to return to their homes on the afternoon passenger. The Athletics come to Dixon most highly recommended and their games thus far this season indicate that they are foes worthy of the best efforts of the Cops.

Charlie Keenan, who graced the mound with such eclat last Sunday, will work for the Stars and as he has been working out lightly every evening this week, he expects to have less trouble in controlling his breaks than he did last Sunday, for then Charlie went into the game with scarcely sufficiently preparation.

The Stars are determined to even up their season's record with tomorrow's contest and accordingly will exert themselves to the utmost to add the game to their list of victories. The regular lineup will be in the game, which in itself insures a good combat.

Memorial Day Game.

The Stars will be at home next Friday, Memorial day, which will be pleasant news to the fans. The Rockford Maroons, of which Hanna, a former Dixon boy, is second baseman will be their opponents and the contest will not be commenced until 4 o'clock in order that there shall be no conflict with the exercises at the court house park.

MAGILL'S BILLS PASS THE SENATE

PROVIDE FOR EXPERT SOIL DOCTORS FOR EACH COUNTY AND RAISE TEACHERS' SALARIES.

The Legislative Voters' League Bulletin No. 16 tells of the passage through the senate at Springfield of Senator Hugh Magill's bills providing that counties may legally employ expert agriculturists, to be employed by the county commissioners, and selected from lists of candidates approved by the dean of the agricultural college of the University of Illinois. The farmers of this state will owe a great deal to Hugh S. Magill if this bill becomes a law.

Illinois public school teachers will receive a minimum salary of $300 a year if a bill introduced by Senator Magill and passed by the senate becomes a law. In speaking for the bill its author, Senator Magill, said that there are now 3718 Illinois school teachers receiving less than $300 annually.

MARINE BAND TAG DAY IS A SUCCESS

MANY HUNDREDS OF THE TAGS WERE SOLD ON DIXON STREETS.

Marine Band Tag day is proving great success and the crew of pretty girls has been scouring the city for victims on which to hang their tags. The tag selling army has been victorious, carrying everything before it, and the havoc they have created is evidenced by the number of men and women to be seen on the streets wearing the little tags.

At noon about 600 of the tags had been hung on buttons and coat lapels, and many more were sold this afternoon. The success of the day means much to the city, for it insures band concerts. The band played on the streets during the afternoon.

PATRIOTIC BODIES TO ATTEND CHURCH SUNDAY

The members of the W. R. C., G. A. R. and G. A. R. Circle will meet at the G. A. R. hall tomorrow evening at 7 o'clock sharp to attend in a body the union Memorial services, which will be held at the First Presbyterian church.

SHIP MACHINERY FOR I. N. U. STEAM PLANT

SPECIAL ORDERS OF ELECTRICAL MACHINERY ON WAY TO THIS CITY.

BUILDING PLANS WERE CHANGED

Difficulties Encountered in Foundation Conditions Made Changes Necessary.

From a semi-official source The Telegraph learned today that nearly $42,000 worth of specially made electrical equipment had been made and is enroute to Dixon, preparatory to the erection of the big steam power plant in this city, on which the company has been endeavoring to secure the contract for some time.

It is reported that contractors are loath to bid on the big building, which is to be erected on the ground now occupied by Athletic park and the block west of that site because of quicksand which has been uncovered in the soundings which have been taken. The foundations, it is said, must necessarily be carried to considerable depth, and in sounding to see what nature of substance will be encountered in building the structure, quicksand was struck, which necessitated a change in the plans and which will greatly increase the cost of the building.

Machines Ordered.

According to the advices which a Telegraph representative received, most of the equipment for the new building, which equipment, incidentally, is much larger than was at first thought necessary, has been ordered and most of it has been manufactured. Some of the machines and necessary appliances have arrived in the city and are now stored at the company's warehouse, while word has been received that much of the larger machinery has been completed and is either in transit or is ready for shipment.

TO MEET IN ROCKFORD.

Local members of the I. N. G. have received notices of the next meeting of the National Guard and Naval Reserve association, which will be held in Rockford June 3. A number of Dixon members plan to attend the meeting.

ADJOURNED TO JUNE 20.

The April term of the Lee county circuit court has been adjourned by Judge Heard until June 20th, when motions in several minor cases will be made, after which the term will be adjourned.

PEORIA AVE. OILED.

The oiling of Peoria avenue from Fourth to Seventh streets, has been completed. But one-half of the street was oiled at a time, thus allowing the fluid to soak into the road before it was heavily used.

AMBOY FUNERAL SUNDAY.

The funeral of Miss Grace Gridley of Amboy, who died at the Watertown hospital Thursday, will be held at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Gridley, at Amboy Sunday afternoon at 2:30, Rev. Appelman officiating. Burial at Prairie Repose.

TARANTULA VICTIM IS BETTER.

Amboy, May 24—Special to Telegraph—The condition of Eben Gridley, the grocer who was bitten by a tarantula, is much improved and it is now thought the poison will have no serious effect.

DR. PANKHURST ILL.

Dr. Pankhurst of Grand Detour is seriously ill again.

W. R. C. DELEGATES HOME FROM MEETING

Mesdames Kent McKinney, Ayres, Youngman and Eastman have returned from Alton, where they have been attending the W. R. C. convention. Mesdames Simonson, Parker and Brown, who were also delegates from the Dixon corps, have gone to St. Louis for a visit with friends.

Social Happenings

—Graduation gifts at The Gift Shop. Graduation cards, place cards, etc. 21 6

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Engraved Calling Cards

A suitable gift for your daughter A box of engraved calling cards. Call at the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., and see samples.

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Delegates Will Report.

The regular meeting of the W. R. C. will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the G. A. R. hall, at which time the degelates to the state convention which was held at Alton this week will submit their reports. A full attendance of the membership is asked for by the officers.

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Dance This Evening.

The Saturday Night club will give another of their always happy Saturday evening dances at Rosbrook hall this evening. Music will be by the Marquette orchestra.

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Visiting Aunt in Morrison

Miss Helen Plein has gone to Morrison to spend Sunday with her aunt, Mrs. W. R. Blair who has been very ill but who is somewhat better at present.

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About 100 couples attended the Colonial club's May party at the New Armory last evening and all report it as being one of the most pleasant events of the season. The hall was artistically and prettily decorated with the club colors, green and white and many potted plants added to the charming effect. The music by the Marquette orchestra was heartily encored, indicating the pleasure with which it was receivel by the dancers.

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K. B. Aid Society

The K. B. Aid Society was well attended at the meeting Wednesday with Mrs. Frank Leach of the Bend and everyone had a most enjoyable day. Before closing the meeting Mrs. H. Stevens, in behalf of the society presented the vice president, Mrs. Tryon Rosbrook with a beautiful hand painted plate which she values very much. The gift was in honor of the 30th anniversary of her wedding.

Shower for Brides of June

Yesterday afternoon in Harmon the club of girls known as the Jolly Eight gave a shower and a dinner for Misses Gladys Kugler and Mary Derr at the home of Miss Nellye Long.

The pleasant event was a surprise to the guests of honor. A dinner was served consisting of three courses, the table being beautifully decorated in red and white carnations and ferns

The afternoon was spent in music and games. A feature of the affair was the presentation to each future bride of a solid silver meat fork and handpainted spoon holder, both being beautiful gifts. The presentation speech was made in a most gracious manner by Miss Frances Kugler and Miss Derr and Miss Gladys Kugler each made a grateful little speech thanking the donors. The weddings of the two young ladies will take place in June. Miss Kugler is to wed George Long of Harmon and Miss Mary Derr is to wed Clyde Scheffler of Amboy. All the young people mentioned are very popular and are receiving the best wishes of many friends in advance.

EYE TROUBLES ARE RELEIVED

by our fitted lenses and scientific eye treatment. While cases of long standing, made worse by body and nervous ills, yield to my natural constitutional treatment.

Where Others Fail

without using the knife. Some surgery is necessary, but the knife should not be used only as a last resort. Possibly

I Can Help You

to avoid the risks of an operation. Others say I have helped them to eye comfort and health, happily. Early attention to your child's eyes will improve its sight.

DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,

222 Crawford Ave.
Eurologist and Health Instructor
Appointments Secure Prompt Attention.

Entertaned at Dinner

Mrs. Nellie Lambert who lives near Eldena entertained at dinner Friday some of her old schoolmates and friends. Those present were—Mrs. Jerome Gilman of Dalton, Kas., her sister, Mrs. J. H. Brooks, and little daughter Marian, of Chicago, Rev. I. B. Heisey, Mrs. Aldro Goodrich and Mrs. Elizabeth Brayton of Dixon; Mrs. Martha Shippert and Mrs. Emily Blaine of St. James and Mrs. D. Sauer and daughter Bessie, of Lake street. A very delightful time is reported by all who were present.

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At Dinner.

Miss Mary Wynn entertained at dinner Friday Mrs. S. N. Watson and her friend, Mrs. Miller, of Chicago.

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Entertained Class.

The class of young ladies of the Christian church taught by Mrs. Clinton Rhodes met at the church last evening and enjoyed a scramble supper. Twenty-one were present and heartily enjoyed the supper, which was served at 6 o'clock. Afterward games and music were features of the evening and all present declared it a most delightful evening.

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At Busby Home.

Knill Jones and sister, Miss Lily, of DeKalb, are guests at the J. W. Busby home. Mr. Jones and sister were classmates of Percy Busby at school in DeKalb.

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With Bridge.

Miss Bess Eells has issued invitations for bridge on Thursday, May 29th.

Entertained

Attorney and Mrs. John Stager of Sterling entertained a few Dixon friends on last Wednesday evening.

S. F. O. Club.

The S. F. O. club was delightfully entertained yesterday afternoon by Miss Eunice Laing at her home. Music was the feature of the afternoon and the hostess completed the pleasure of her guests by serving delicious refreshments.

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Dance at Herbst Home

There was a dance Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Herbst, near Amboy, which was much enjoyed by a large number of friends. Refreshments were served afterwards.

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Ladies' Auxiliary.

An important special meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Y. M. C. A. will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. William Beier, Peoria avenue.

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Visiting at Boucher Home

Mrs. M. J. Cleary, Mrs. L. W. Mitchell and Mrs. S. D. Eastwood left yesterday for Muncie, Ind., to be guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boucher, formerly of Dixon, but who now conduct a college at Muncie.

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His Fifth Anniversary

Little Gale Keiser, the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Kaiser, was host to a dozen little friends who gathered at his home Friday afternoon to assist him in celebrating his fifth birthday. A gypsy camp and refreshments were features of the afternoon.

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At Byington Home.

Mrs. A. K. Turneaure of Graettinger, Ia., and Mrs. Jiles Turneaure of Madison, Wis., are guests at the J. E. Byington home.

Every Woman Knows That

instead of sallow skin and face blemishes she ought to possess the clear complexion and the beauty of nature and good health. Any woman afflicted or suffering at times from headache, backache, nervousness, languor and depression of spirits—ought to try

BEECHAM'S PILLS

the safest, surest, most convenient and most economical remedy known. Beecham's Pills remove impurities, insure better digestion, refreshing sleep, and have an excellent general tonic effect upon the whole bodily system. They have a wonderful power to improve the general health, while by purifying the blood, Beecham's Pills clear the skin and

Improve The Complexion

Sold everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.
No woman should fail to read the valuable directions with every box.

Miss Vaughan Entertained

Miss Jeanette Vaughan was hostess last evening at a charming prenuptial party, at her home in Amboy which complimented her cousin, Miss Louise James, who is soon to wed Chester Forsyth of Minneapolis, Minn.

The guests were twenty friends of the bride-elect and they brought her a shower of linnen. The gifts were placel on a line in the back yard and the bride-elect was told to gather in the clothes before the approaching rain arrived. She was the recipient of many handsome pieces of linen.

The house was prettily decorated in pink and white, the bridal wreath being used in great profusion. The initials of Miss James and Mrs. Forsyth were formed of the bridal wreath and used among the decoratiosn on the table. A two-course luncheon was served by the hostess. —Amboy Journal.

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48th Wedding Anniversary.

Sterling, May 2—Special to Telegraph—The 48th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. David Senneff of Quincy, Ill., was celebrated last evenuing at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Senneff, 306 Sixth Ave., this city.

Relatives from Sterling and Rock Falls were invited, among those from Dixon were Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Senneff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wentling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sheets and family, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Senneff, and from Rock Falls, Mrs. June and Mr. and Mrs. John Senneff.

A 7 o'clock dinner was served and afterward a beautiful and novel clock was presented to Father and Mother Senneff, who were wished many more happy anniversaries before the departure of the guests at a late hour, ending a joyful evening.

Recital at Rockford College.

Miss Roberta Ransom last week at Rockford college gave her concluding recital in music on her graduation from the institution. It was said to be a recital with the largest attendance and one of the best ever given at the college. Miss Ransom graduated with high honors. She is a niece of Mrs. Will Smith of this city.

Mrs. H. L. Ransom, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Smith, on her way home from her daughter's graduation at Rockford college, left last evening for her home at Atkinson, Ill.

Little Light Bearers.

Everyone is invited to the following program, to be given by the Little Light Bearers of the Methodist church tomorrow at 3 p. m.:

Song—Little Light Bearers Are We.
Prayer
Recitation—Missionary Mother Goose—Mitchell Dollmeyer
Solo, Shining for Jesus—Ruth Worthington and Chorus
Recitation, Missions and Minding—Douglas Rogers
Recitation, What He Forgot—Denton Stone
Song, Little Brown Babies — By Little Tots
Recitation, The Best She Knew—Frances Ackert
Recitation, A Change of Mind — Loreta Bolt
Duet, Pleading Voices—Dorothy Sullivan, Grace Byers
Dialogue, The Plea of the Nations—Seven Children in Costume
Recitation, Baley's Penny—Dorothy Ankeny
Dialogue, Song of Service — Ella Smith, Olive Reed, Alice Kirtley
Song, World Children for Jesus—Dale Tetrick, Donald Gullion and Chorus
Dialogue, Missionary Music—Helen Eaton, Marjorie Ogden
Opening song and Collection
Closing Song.

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25th Wedding Anniversary.

Tomorrow the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Schorr of this city will be celebrated at their home with the immedate relatives and friends who were present at the ceremony, being in attendance.

The beautiful and hospitable home of the Schorrs will be decorated in Twenty-five years ago in Aurora pink and white carnations and ferns. Father Leyden, now stationed at Freeport, performed the ceremony which united in marriage Mr. and Mrs. Schorr, who will congratulate them on the recurrence of the happy anniversary.

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—See "The Broken Vow," in two reels, at the Family Theatre on Sunday night.

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We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the friends who so kindly assisted us during the sad hours of our recent bereavement.

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TIME TABLE.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. :Daily. *Daily except Sunday.

119	Local Express	8:18 a. m.
123	Southern Exp Dly	11:18 a. m.
131	Clinton Express	5:09 p. m.
	Amboy Freight	8:50 a. m.
	North Bound.	
132	Waterloo Exp	9:50 a. m.
124	Local Mail Dly	5:30 p. m.
120	Local Express	8:05 p. m.
	Freeport Freight	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No.	Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6	3:23 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24	6:37 a. m.	9:15 a. m.
28	7:22 a. m.	10:30 a. m.
18	8:12 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
14	11:29 a. m.	2:15 p. m.
20	11:08 a. m. d'ly ex Sun	2:50 p. m.
4	4:07 p. m. d'ly ex Sun	7:25 p. m
100	4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12	6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No.	Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5	7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
99	7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13	10:15 a. m.	12:53 p. m
19	12:15 p. m. d'ly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
27	4:20 p. m	7:26 p. m.
11	6:05 p. m.	8:40 p m.
25	6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
.17	8:30 p. m.	10:58 p. m.
*7	10:02 p. m.	12:36 a. m.
3	10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.
801	Peoria Pas. Lv. Dixon	8:15 a. m.
	Ar. Peoria	11:32 a. m.

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POPULAR TRAVELING MAN DIED SUDDENLY

W. H. Flemming, the Dementtown groceryman, has received word that Thomas Scott, the Cudahy traveling man who makes Dixon every Tuesday and is known to many Dixonites, was found dead in a chair in his room at Rockford this morning. Mr. Scott, who was here Tuesday of this week, had worked all of the week and was about town as usual yesterday in Rockford. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 at Rockford, the Sons of Veterans having charge of the services.

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CHASE STUDIO.

Mrs. John Loos of Sterling visited today with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Good, of this city.

Misses Caroline Simonson and Olive Bender and Joe Crawford attended the field day in Polo this afternoon.

James Jarvis of Sterling was here today.

TWO WOMEN SAVED FROM OPERATIONS

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Beatrice, Neb.—"Just after my marriage my left side began to pain me and the pain got so severe at times that I suffered terribly with it. I visited three doctors and each one wanted to operate on me but I would not consent to an operation. I heard of the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was doing for others and I used several bottles of it with the result that I haven't been bothered with my side since then. I am in good health and I have two little girls."—Mrs. R. B. CHILD, Beatrice, Neb.

The Other Case.

Cary, Maine.—"I feel it a duty I owe to all suffering women to tell what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me. One year ago I found myself a terrible sufferer. I had pains in both sides and such a soreness I could scarcely straighten up at times. My back ached, I had no appetite and was so nervous I could not sleep, then I would be so tired mornings that I could scarcely get around. It seemed almost impossible to move or do a bit of work and I thought I never would be any better until I submitted to an operation, but my husband thought I had better write to you and I did so, stating my symptoms. I commenced taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and soon felt like a new woman. I had no pains, slept well, had good appetite and could do almost all my own work for a family of four. I shall always feel that I owe my good health to your Vegetable Compound."—Mrs. HAYWARD SOWERS, Cary, Maine.

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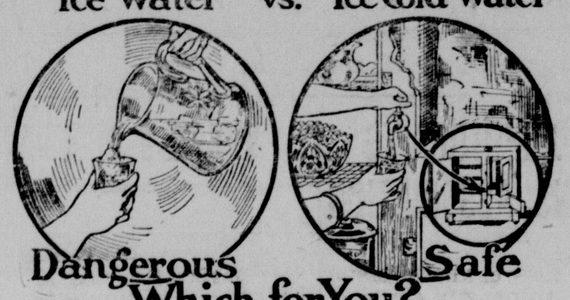

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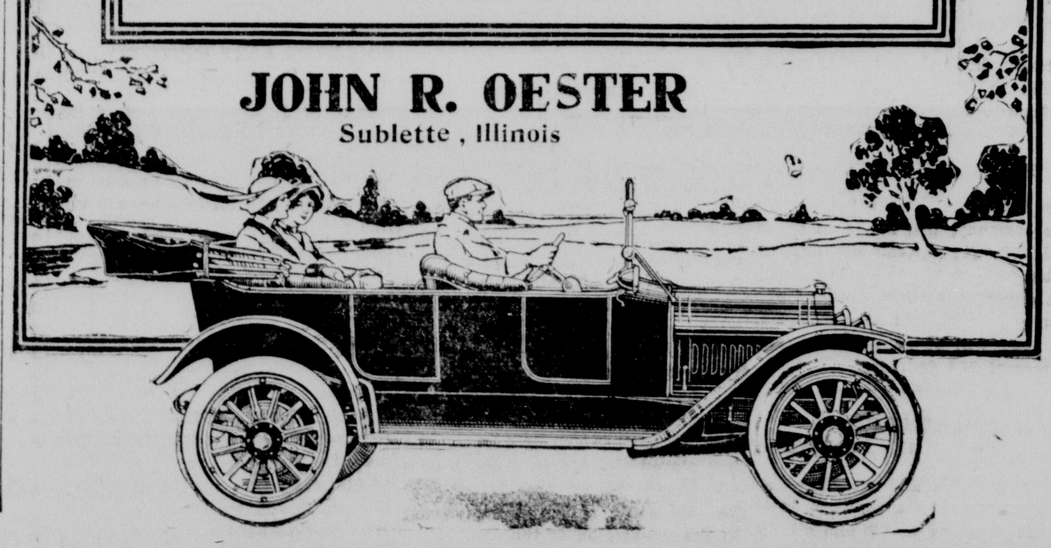

JOHN R. OESTER
Sublette, Illinois

DEMENTTOWN . . . DOINGS

Every time there is a vacant store room in our town somebody comes along and starts a new motion picture show.

Any feller who is in the habit of losin' his head doesn't lose much.

When the world does end some feller will be inventin' a new mouse trap.

Lemuel Higgins, a lifelong democrat for almost six months, writes home from Washington that he will stay there until he gets a job. He has already borrowed $18 from our congressman, Wilson refuses to see him. The folks around here never could.

What is the use talking of uniform divorce law when nobody wants to wear the uniforms?

The new style hats, which are but a foot across, are so sensible that they will never become popular with the fair sect.

We would rather be wrong than vice president, and we guess Tom Marshall would, too.

Constabule Ezra Hand has got a new scheme for to ketch the auto bugs that speed through our midst like a streak of greased lightnin'. He has sprinkled Main street with tacks, the common council havin' appropriated 35 cents for that purpose, and now when the city fellers try to rush through out village it sounds like a genuine imitation of the battle of Gettysburg. There was forty-seven punctures and neteen blowouts on Main street Sunday, and three new repair shops have sprung up on that thoroughfare. Squire Stubbs is holdin' court night and day.

In a Local Court.

The Judge—Have you anything to offer the court before sentence is passed?

Prisoner—No, your honor, my lawyer got the last cent.

In some cases of local moment the statement that "way of the transgressor is hard" may be characterized as the height of bunk.

Several members of the Dixon Stars have been accused of being the most honest men in town for the simple reason that they would not steal a base if they had a chance. The aforesaid members deny the allegation and state that they will disprove it tomorrow afternoon.

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A quick recoil, a smothered exclamation on the part of the man he addressed. A barb had been hidden in this simple statement which had reached some deeply-hidden but vulnerable spot in Brotherson's breast, which had never been pierced before. It was a sight no man could see unmoved. Mr. Challoner turned sharply away, in dread of the abyss which the next word he uttered might open between them.

But Orlando Brotherson possessed resources of strength of which, possibly, he was not aware himself. When Mr. Challoner, still more affected by the silence than by the dread I have mentioned, turned to confront him again, it was to find his features composed and his glance clear. He had conquered all outward manifestation of the mysterious emotion which for an instant had laid his proud spirit low.

"You are considerate of my brother," were the words with which he reopened this painful conversation. "You will not find your confidence misplaced. Oswald is a straightforward fellow, of few faults."

"I believe it. No man can be so universally beloved without some very substantial claims to regard. I am glad to see that your opinion, though given somewhat coldly, coincides with that of his friends."

"I am not given to exaggeration," was the even reply.

Nothing which had yet passed showed that this man realized the fact that Oswald had been kept in ignorance of Miss Challoner's death. If these brothers were to meet on the morrow, it must be with the full understanding that this especial topic was to be completely avoided. But in what words could he urge such a request upon this man? None suggested themselves, yet he had promised Miss Scott that he would insure his silence in this regard, and it was with this difficulty and no other he had been struggling when Mr. Brotherson came upon him in the other room.

"You have still something to say," suggested the latter, as an oppressive silence swallowed up that icy sentence I have already recorded.

"I have," returned Mr. Challoner, regaining his courage under the exigencies of the moment. "Miss Scott is very anxious to have your promise that you will avoid all disagreeable topics with your brother till the doctor pronounces him strong enough to meet the trouble which awaits him."

"You mean—"

"He is not as unhappy as we. He knows nothing of the affliction which has befallen him. He was taken ill—" The rest was almost inaudible.

"Do you think I should be apt to broach this subject with anyone, let alone with him, whose connection with it I shall need days to realize? I'm not so given to gossip. Besides, he and I have other topics of interest. I have an invention ready with which I propose to experiment in a place he has already prepared for me. We can talk about that."

The irony, the hardy self-possession with which this was said struck Mr. Challoner to the heart. Without a word he wheeled about towards the

"What Do You Wish to Ask?"

door. Without a word, Brotherson stood, watching him go till he saw his hand fall on the knob when he quietly prevented his exit by saying:

"Unhappy truths cannot be long concealed. How soon does the doctor think my brother can bear these inevitable revelations?"

"He said this morning that if his patient were as well tomorrow as his present condition gives promise of, he might be told in another week."

Orlando bowed his appreciation of this fact, but added quickly:

"Who is to do the telling?"

"Doris," nobody else could be trusted with so delicate a task."

"I wish to be present."

Mr. Challoner looked up, surprised at the feeling with which this request was charged.

"As his brother—his only remaining relative, I have that right. Do you think that Dor—that Miss Scott, can be trusted not to forestall that moment by any previous hint of what awaits him?"

"If she so promises. But will you exact this from her? It surely cannot be necessary for me to say that your presence will add infinitely to the difficulty of her task."

"Yet it is a duty I cannot shirk. I will consult the doctor about it. I will make him see that I both understand and shall insist upon my rights in this matter. But you may tell Miss Doris that I will sit out of sight, and that I shall not obtrude myself unless my name is brought up in an undesirable way."

The hand on the door-knob made a sudden movement.

"Mr. Brotherson, I can bear no more tonight. With your permission, I will leave this question to be settled by others." And with a repetition of his former bow, the bereaved father withdrew.

Orlando watched him till the door closed, then he too dropped his mask.

But is was on again, when in a little while he passed through the sitting-room on his way upstairs.

No other day in his whole life had been like this to the hardy inventor; for in it both his heart and his conscience had been awakened, and up to this hour he had not really known that he possessed either.

CHAPTER XXXI.

What Is He Making?

Other boxes addressed to O. Brotherson had been received at the station, and carried to the mysterious shed in the woods; and now, with locked door and lifted top, the elder brother contemplated his stores and prepared himself for work.

He had been allowed a short interview with Oswald, and he had indulged himself in a few words with Doris. But he had left those memories behind with other and more serious matters. Nothing that could unnerve his hand or weaken his insight should enter this spot sacred to his great hope. Here genius reigned. Here he was himself wholly and without flaw—a Titan with his grasp on a mechanical idea by means of which he would soon rule the world.

Not so happy were the other characters in this drama. Oswald's thoughts, disturbed for a short time by his brother, had flown eastward again, in silent love and longing; while Doris, with a double dread now in her heart, went about her daily tasks, praying for strength to endure the horrors of this week, without betraying the anxieties secretly devouring her.

And Mr. Challoner? The sight of Brotherson, though they never really met, acted like acid upon a wound, and it was not till six days had passed and the dreaded Sunday was at hand, that he slept with any sense of rest or went his way about the town without that halting at the corners which betrayed his perpetual apprehension of a most undesirable encounter.

The reason for this change will be apparent in the short conversation he held with a man he had come upon one evening in the small park just beyond the workmen's dwellings.

"You see I am here," was the stranger's low greeting.

"Thank God," was Mr. Challoner's reply. "I could not have faced tomorrow alone and I doubt if Miss Scott could have found the requisite courage. Does she know that you are here?"

"I stopped at her door."

"Was that safe?"

"I think so. Mr. Brotherson—the Brooklyn one—is up in his shed. He sleeps there now, I am told, and soundly too I've no doubt."

"What is he making?"

"What half the inventors on both sides of the water are engaged upon just now. A monoplane, or a biplane, or some machine for carrying men through the air. I know, for I helped him with it. But you'll find that if he succeeds in this undertaking, and I believe he will, nothing short of fame awaits him. His invention has startling points. But I'm not going to give them away. I'll be true enough to him for that. As an inventor he has my sympathy; but—well, we will see what we shall see, tomorrow. You say that he is bound to be present when Miss Scott relates her tragic story. He won't be the only unseen listener. I've made my own arrangements with Miss Scott. If he feels the need of watching her and his brother Oswald, I feel the need of watching him."

"You take a burden of intolerable weight from my shoulders. Now I shall feel easier about that interview. But I should like to ask you this: Do you feel justified in this continued surveillance of a man who has so frequently, and with such evident sincerity, declared his innocence?"

"I do that. If he's as guiltless as he says he is, my watchfulness won't hurt him. If he's not, then, Mr. Challoner, I've but one duty; to match his strength with my patience. That man is the one great mystery of the day, and mysteries call for solution. At least, there's the way a detective looks at it."

"May heaven help your efforts!"

"I shall need its assistance," was the dry rejoinder. Sweetwater was by no means blind to the difficulties awaiting him.

(To Be Continued)

COMPLETE CHRONICLE OF ASHTON ACTIVITIES

E. T. BAILEY OF DIXON TO SPEAK —ASHTON WOMEN ATTEND CONVENTION.

WHAT ASNTONITES ARE DOING

Clifford Reed Wed in the North — Mrs. Boyd is No Better—Pupils Pass Examinations.

Ashton, May 22—Mrs. Leets went to Rockford this morning to visit her son, Ralph Desmond, and family.

M. N. Glenn and Fred Richardson were in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Elsie Chapman spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Chapman. She teaches at Lighthouse.

Mrs. Thankful Warrent of Rockford came Tuesday to spend a week visiting at the home of John M. Burnham.

Mrs. Geo. Baker and daughter, Lucile, and Mrs. Geo. Ebers returned Friday from a several weeks' visit at Rockwell, Ia.

The Loyal Daughters of the United Evangelical Sunday school were entertained Friday evening by Miss Melinda Schafer and Miss Emma Killmer at the John Killmer home. All present enjoyed a delightful evening.

The 8th graders have completed their finals and received their semester grading. All but two will be able to pass to high school in the fall and to take part in the graduation exercises, which will soon occur.

Stanwood J. Griffith went to Champaign Friday to visit his sister, Miss Mildred. He enjoyed the May festival and attended an athletic meet between Wisconsin and Illinois, returning Monday.

Faust Boyd went to Amboy Sunday to visit his mother at the hospital. Mrs. Boyd is gradually growing weaker.

Harry Stephan was an Ashton visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seeback and daughter, Mrs. August C. Schafer, went to Dysart, Ia., Thursday to visit relatives.

Mrs. Wm. Killmer and daughters Elizabeth and Anna and Miss Sophia Hatzel went to Dixon Wednesday to attend the missionary state convention at the Grace Evangelical church. Mrs.i Klimer and Miss Hatzell visited over night with Wm. oRss and family.

Dr. Gould and family motored to Polo Sunday.

Rae Chadwick and Ruth Zellar dined at the Sheffield in Grand Detour Sunday.

Allen Krug visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Adam Krug this week.

Miss Clara Krug left Monday for Pangman, Sask., Canada. She was met at Minot, N. D., by Clifford Reed. Wednesday they were married there and then went on to their new home. A host of friends wish them happiness.

Mrs. Katherine Hunter and Miss Minnie Aschenbrenner accompanied Miss Clara Krug to Rochelle Monday where the latter changed to the Q. road.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leidy of Carthage, Mo., came Friday for a visit at the home of her brother, Wesley Beach, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. Leidy have just visited their son, James, and family of Cumberland, Va.

Mrs. Grimes of Rochelle spent Wednesday at the home of her niece, Verna Burnham.

The Gazette copied a news item from the Spirit Lake Herald, Idaho, announcing the engagement of Miss Margaret Allardyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Allardyce of Lamont Ave., Spokane, and Geo. R. Charters, our well known townsman. Miss Allerdyce is a graduate of Chicago University and member of the Collegiate Alumni and Pan-Helenic societies. The wedding is to occur in the early fall.

Elwood T. Bailey has been secured to deliver an illustrated lecture at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening, May 27. His subject: From the Source of the Jordan to Jerusalem. The views will include all the country or cities Christ visited. Also there will be a number of the great artists' conception of Christ. 150 views will be shown. Mr. Bailey is coming under the auspices of the C. E. society. Admission will be 20c for adults and 15c for children attending public or high school. Mr Bailey needs no introduction here He has filled the Presbyterian pulpit a number of times and each time a larger and more pleased audience has turned out to hear him. Tickets will be on sale Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Hunt spent Friday and Saturday with her daughter, Mrs Frances Chadwick at Steward.

Griffith Bros. sold their auto to S. W. Wren of Chana.

Lex Hartzell of Dixon spent Sunday at home.

Mrs. C. W. Trostle of Franklin spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Stephan.

John W. Wingert, oSlomon Sunday, Joshua Wingert and John Blocher of Franklin Grove were guests on Tuesday at a dinner party at the home of John Wingert's daughter, Mrs. George Garrett. All of the men are past 80 years of age.

Assessor Zellar is making out his books.

Mrs. Clifford Knapp, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dean and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sindlinger motored to Dixon and Amboy Sunday.

Wm. Griese has about completed a barn on the old Free Methodist church lot.

Ezra Williams left for Chicago on Wednesday after visiting his mother-in-law, Mrs. Taggart.

Mrs. Nellie Griffith visited her sister, Mrs. W. E. Trein, today.

The rain Tuesday night put many phones out of commission. It was impossible to get through to Dixon until noon Wednesday.

Will Fletcher and family spent Sunday in Grand Detour with his sister, Mrs. Prettiman.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Good visited at the S. H. Meyers home in Franklin Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Garrett spent Sunday and Monday at the home of her father, John W. Wingert.

Mrs. C. R. Root was in Rochelle Saturday.

Ralph and Paul Charters spent Monday at Oregon.

Mrs. oJe Wetzel spent Monday in Franklin.

Miss Mary Brown was in Dixon on Tuesday.

Foust Paddock began work at DeKalb Monday under the employment of A. M. Bates, maintainer of Hall Signals.

Mrs. Frank Eisenberg and Misses Mabel Eisenberg and Emma Killmer went to Dixon today to attend the 20th convention of the missionary societies.

Mrs. Maude Thomas visited in Franklin Thursday at the home of Richard Smith.

Mrs. Emily J. Walker entertained a number of small folks on her lawn Saturday afternoon. A picnic supper was much enjoyed.

Much work is being done at the cemetery and it is getting in good shape for Memoria lday.

Mrs. Ernestina Stephan is recovering nicely from her recent operation at the Michael Reese hospital in Chicago.

A demonstrator has been at Frank Eisenberg and Joe Roesler's stores in succession the past few days and many people have enjoyed a cup of fine coffee.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. church meets next Wednesday with Mrs. S. T. Zellar.

Miss Mae oFwler was in Franklin Saturday.

Christ Gross was here Saturday on business.

Mr. Farringer was in Ashton Wednesday.

Ashton O. E. S. has been invited to visit Salome chapter at Rochelle on Wednesday evening May 28 at 6 o'clock.

Friday evening, May 23, there will be an alumni meeting of Ashton high school at the Presbyteria church, at 7:45.

Miss Kathernie Griffith was in Dix on Tuesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Trein.

Mrs. M. N. Glenn and son eLonard and Miss Lucy Hart were in Dixon today.

The masons have completed the foundation of Clarence Sanders' new home and Wednesday carpenters began work.

Mrs. O. W. Griffith and daughter Ellen visited in Franklin Grove on Tuesday.

Mrs. Gumm, who has been nursing in Ashton, returned to Dixon this morning.

Mesdames Henry Krug, Yenerich, Conrad Krug, John Weishar, Wm. Petrie, John Killmer and Wm. Heibenthal attended the convention at Dixon today.

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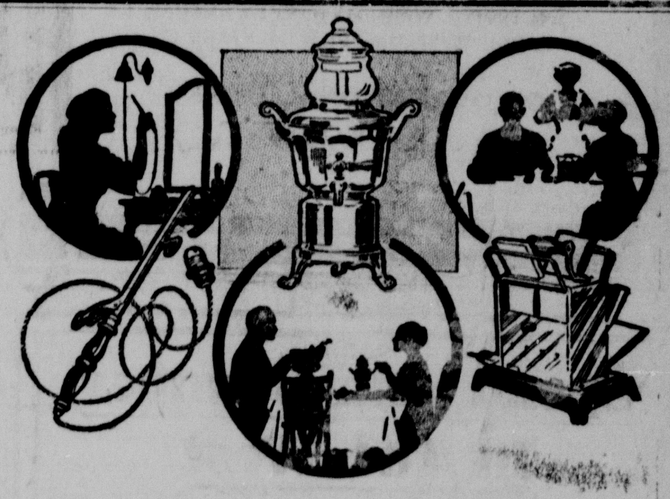

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GRADUATION IN ASHTON TONIGHT

PUPILS FROM SEVEN RURAL SCHOOLS WILL HOLD EXERCISES.

Seven rural schools east and south of Ashton will unite in holding commencement exercises in the Ashton opera house this evening at 8 o'clock. Editor Frank E. Stevens of the the Dixon Citizen will deliver the address and County Superintendent L. W. Miller will present the diplomas.

The instructors and graduates follow:

Union School—Margaret M. Roesler, teacher; Mildred L. Albrecht, graduate.

Gooch school—Estella E. Krug, teacher; Marie E. Semler and Frances J. Hawthorne, graduates.

Beach school—Helen C. Urmy, teacher; Anna E. Schnell, graduate.

Killmer school—Mrs. M. Luckey, teacher; Alta Wagner and Clarence C. Schafer, graduates.

Weiner school—Blanche Gale, teacher; Gertrude Vogeler and John Smith, graduates.

Vaupel school—Edith Stevens, teacher; Milton Vaupel, graduate.

Salzman school—Edith Walter, teacher; Frances Drais, graduate.

Class flower, pink carnation; class colors, pink and white; class motto, "Onward is Our Aim."

OMISSION OF ONE WORD MAY KILL PAVING WORK

Elgin, May 24—Omission of the word "feet" in describing the grades for the Villa street paving will, in all probability result in the recast assessment roll for the improvement being rejected by County Judge Frank Plain at Geneva on next Friday.

MR. SEAVEY LIKES THE WEST.

Allen E. Seavey of Axtell, Utah, a former resident of this vicinity, in renewing his subscription to the Telegraph, which he says "we enjoy reading and would miss very much if we did not receive it," says of the west, "After living here a year and a half we find that this is a very agreeable climate, and have no intention of ever going back to Illinois to live. We haven't seen a bad storm of any kind since we came. You may have your cyclones and rain storms. We will take ours in sunshine and irrigation."

BOMBARDING A LEGISLATOR.

Representative John Divine should know by this time how his constituents feel about the hard roads bill. They have been sending him telegrams making it plain how they feel on the subject. The farmers of this part of the state want good roads. They well know who are the sufferers from the old style of bottomless thoroughfares.

The people in both city and country have expressed themselves often enough on the subject and it is plain that their representatives should reflect their opinions.

In some parts of the state where there has been no campaign for the hard roads the members of the legislature may be excused for hesitating. In this section they will best please by getting in line for something that is so much in the line of progress.—DeKalb Advertiser.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

P Quinby to W H Coppins wd $1075, pt lot 3 blk 31 N Dixon.

W H Dickinson et al to Neola Elevator Co, wd $1 lots 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 and 12 blk 5 Lee.

Geo Schorr to J C Ayres, wd $2,000, pt lot 1 blk 14 Dixon.

A Nelson to E M Sax, wd $1 nwq sec 31 Willow Creek and seq neq sec 36 Viola.

E M Sax to A Nelson qcd $1 same as above.

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SUNDAY AROUSES SCHUMNAN-HEINK.

EVANGELIST LATER MAKES A PUBLIC AND PRIVATE APOLOGY

CALLED SINGER "CHEAP SKATE"

The Term Is Applied to the Well Known Musician in the Course Of Sermon by Sunday

South Bend, Ind., May 23.—"Billy" Sunday, former baseball player, made a public apology to Madame Schumann-Heink, and lest that be insufficient also made a private apology so now the well known singer and the evangelist are friends again.

The trouble was caused by Mr. Sunday in a sermon on "Mothers" when he declared that "Melba, Eames and Schumann-Heink are cheap skates compared with mothers."

Singer Makes Reply

This called for the reply from Mme. Schumann-Heink.

"This evangelist, he calls himself, preaches religion, but did Christ hurt and malign people to exalt his reputation?"

She also called attention to the fact that she was the mother of eight children and had traveled 3,000 miles to be with them a few hours.

The noted singer before the apology said:

"What am I; am I not a mother of eight children. Did I not nurse them myself? One Christmas I could not be with my children. I traveled 3,000 miles to be with them a few hours. Am I not a mother? Is there any call to class me as a cheap skate in comparision to mothers?"

"What does he know of the message of music I am preaching my message too. It is the song here in my throat. I sing to prisoners, to school children. I go into jails, grasp murderers by the hand, I leave my concerts and go to sing o dying criminals, The Rosary, Heilige Nacht, because they want to die with its strains in their ears.

Inspired by Children

"This evangelist, as he calls himself, he preaches religion, but did Christ hurt and malign people to exalt His own reputation? He taught love. Never in all His ministry did He hurt anyone. He died that others might not be hurt. Never did he attack even His bitterest enemies.

"My children, they have been my inspiration.

"Why, I have been so poor, I have actually been hungry. I go home, see my dear ones. Everything is all right. Sunday flatters mothers and builds up his own fame. Let him go to his Bible for references. Has he not enough to talk about in the beauty of Mary, the mother of Christ, that he needs to hurt other mothers who are working for their dear ones."

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FACE COVERED WITH PIMPLES

Red and Irritated. Pimples Festered. Itched and Burned. Used Cuticura Soap and Ointment About 3 Weeks. Was Completely Cured.

1613 Dayton St., Chicago, Ill.—"My face was very red and irritated and was covered with pimples. The pimples festered and came to a head. They itched and burned and when I scratched them became sore. I tried soaps and they would not stop the itching and burning of the skin. This lasted for a month or more. At last I tried Cuticura Ointment and Soap. They took out the burning and itching of the skin soothing it very much and giving the relief that the others failed to give me. I used the Cuticura Soap and Ointment about three weeks and was completely cured." (Signed) Miss Clara Mueller, Mar. 16, 1912.

BURNING AND ITCHING

Day and Night. Eczema in Form of Rash.

Moores Hill, Ind.—"My little daughter had a burning and itching sensation day and night. The eczema was in the form of a rash. It began first in patches on her face and under her arms, and then on her hands. We were very much alarmed about her as it was spreading so rapidly. We used Cuticura Soap and Ointment about one month and they cured my little daughter of eczema. Her skin is as smooth as could be and she is in fine health." (Signed) Mrs. Lizzie Roof, Jan. 27, 1912.

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Tender-faced men should use Cuticura Soap Shaving Stick, 25c. Sample free.

"Tag DAY Sale"

Saturday May 24th

When you come down town next Saturday to do your shopping, don't fail to secure some of the many bargains offered and incidently help to sucure BAND CONCERTS for the summer by buying a "band Tag" from the DIXON MARINE BAND BOYS.

60 inch Bleached Table Damask, 59c quality, Specisl	49c
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81x90 Bleached Seamless Sheets, Special	69c
18x54 inch Lace Dresser Cover	25c
36 and 44 inch Curtain Scrim, also net, 25c quality, Special	18c yd.
Nottingham Lace Curtains, 10 choice designs, worth $1.00 and $1.25 Special	89c pr.
27 inch Cambric and Voile Flouncing, deep embroidery	29c yd.
50 inch embroidery Vail Flouncing, good assortment of patterns	59c yd.
50 Infants Dresses and Gowns	25c each
Boys and Girls Union Suits	25c
2 lots Dress Silks	39c and 69c yd
Sash Curtain Rods	4c each

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TENNIS COURT READY.

The officers of the Tennis club have completed one court and used it for the first time today. The other court will be completed as soon as possible, and those who desire to join the club, ladies or gentlemen, are asked to communicate with E. T. Bailey, secretary-treasurer.

DISGRACEFUL ROADS.

Owners of automobiles and other vehicles who have occasion to drive to the Northwestern depot are loud in their protests against the disgraceful condition of Depot avenue, between the switch tracks and the C. & N. W. property. The street is full of ruts, chuck holes, etc., and is actually a disgrace to the community.

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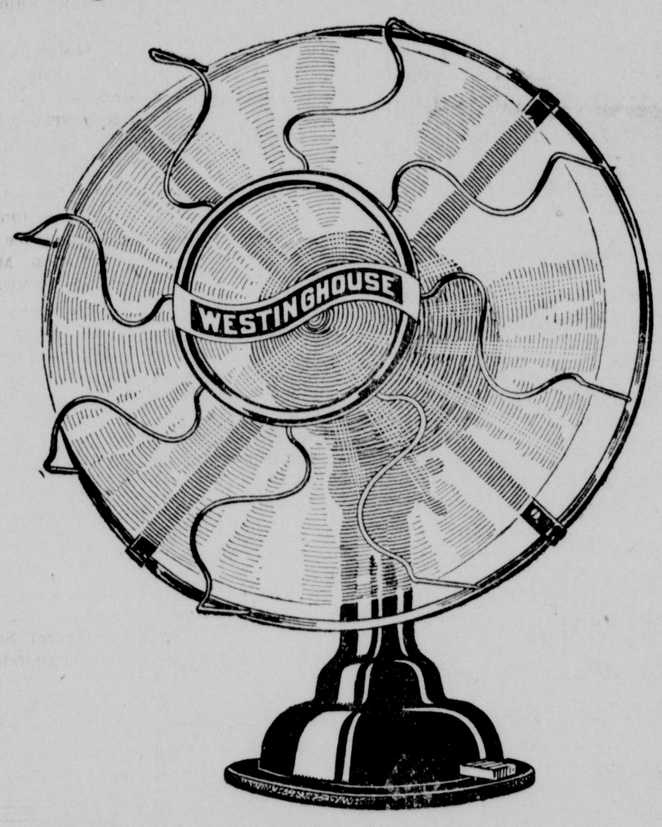
FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

S. Ellwood Fisher, pastor.

The minister was able to sit up yesterday and will conduct services Sunday. Let not the disappoint of last Sunday interfere with your attendance this Sunday. Mr. Fisher will speak on the subject, "Doing Greater Work Than Christ Did." The evening service will be made especially interesting with special musical numbers.

Sunday school at the usual hour.

On the first warm days in Spring, fancy turns seriously among other directions toward the



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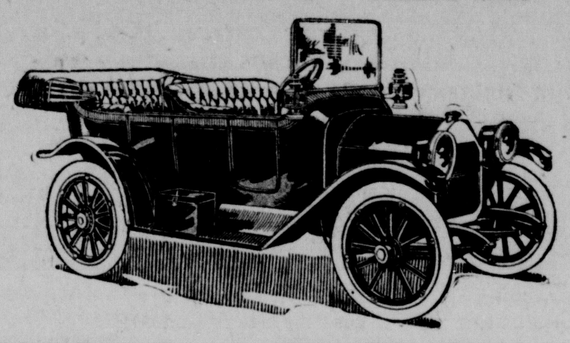

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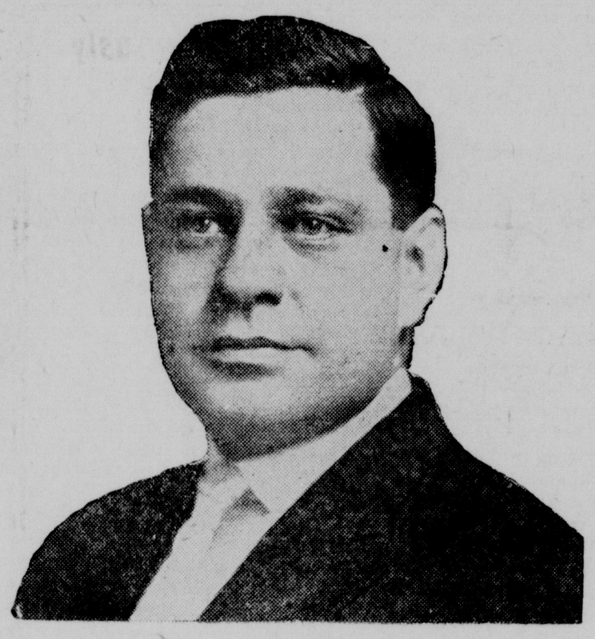

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DR. E. O. CABLE, 6132 LANGLEY AVE., CHICAGO.

City In Brief

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Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ware and daughter, Miss Edna, were among the number from Nachusa who attended the musicale given by the young people of St. James.

Miss Anna Emmert was a morning passenger to Chicago.

Miss Ferguson, who has been visiting here for several days, returned to her home in Aurora this morning.

Miss Hazel Kenneth went to Chicago today.

Harry Hatch returned to Chicago this morning after a short visit with his mother.

Misses Katherine McGrail and Marie Madden were passengers to Chicago today.

W. C. Weldon of Denver, Colo., will spend Sunday in Dixon with his mother, Mrs. John Ferguson, and sister, Mrs. C. Plein.

Harry Burt of Chicago is at the Nachusa House.

—See the clever Black & Tan Act. Opera House tonight.

Miss Etha Hoover of Sterling is visiting Miss Hazel Elliott of this city.

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Mrs. J. H. Egler has gone to Chicago for a week's visit with friends.

William Albright of Chicago will spend Sunday with his parents in Dixon.

Mrs. H. U. Bardwell is ill.

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Miss Helen Brinton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Cook, formerly of this city, at Geneva.

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—Two fine vaudeville acts at the Opera House tonight.

Dr. Clevidence is in Chicago.

—Mayne & Mayne, colored song artists. Opera House tonight.

Dr. Clevidence has purchased a new automobile.

Misses Katherine and Ruth Miller of Franklin Grove were here today selling tags for the benefit of the band.

—Comedy musical act. At Opera House tonight.

Wesley Winters went east today.

M. J. Sullivan of Monroe, Wis., is here visiting with his mother

Mrs. Andrew Phalen and daughter have returned from a short visit in Chicago.

Miss Hazel Sunday of Franklin Grove visited friends in this city today.

Judge O. E. Heard, who has presided at the April term of the Lee county circuit court, returned to his home in Freeport today.

BOY TO GET $2,000,000

Court Changes His Name at Request of Grandfather.

Seattle, Wash., May 24.—Henry Barclay Perry, the five-year-old adopted son of Dr. and Mrs. Richard W. Perry of Seattle, was changed by decree of Superior Judge Walter J. French to Henry Francis Shoemaker, son of Henry W. Shoemaker of Altoona, Pa. He becomes grandson and namesake of Henry Francis Shoemaker, retired banker of New York, and was made the promised heir to $2,000,000 from his paternal grandfather, who is reported to be on his deathbed. Under the court's decision the child retains his home with his mother, Mrs. Beatrice Barclay Shoemaker-Perry, wife of Dr. Perry and former wife of Henry W. Shoemaker.

CUTS OFF HIS OWN FOOT

Gangrene Victim First Amputates Toe When Miles From a Doctor.

Penn Yan, N. Y., May 23.—Isaac Bassett of this county is a man of nerve. Fearing he would die from gangrene which originated in his large toe, Bassett amputated the diseased member last week with his pocket knife. This, however, did not arrest the progress of the disease, so he cut off his foot with the same surgical instrument.

Bassett is 75 years old. He lives in the extreme western part of the county, many miles from a physician.

Dramatic Notes

FAMILY THEATRE

Manager Plein visited her booking agent in Chicago this week and has selected an exceptionally attractive program for the coming week. Commencing Monday, May 26, the program will include the Tambo Duo a versatile pair who sing, dance and introduce some tambo manipulations that is very clever. and they are guaranteed to become favorites here. The Kelso Bros. present their dexterous juggling novelty in a pleasing way. This offering is class from start to finish and this will be their first appearance in this part of the country.

Today and tomorrow Dixon people have the last chance to see the marvelous feats performed by Miss Manella's cockatoos, including a raven which jumps through fire hoops; further the act of the cartoonist and prima donna which is very interesting. Pictures today: Finnegan, a corking comedy; The Burglar Who Robbed Death; The Eighth Notch, a southern feud.

FINE PICTURE.

"The Broken Vow" is the title of an exceptionally fine picture to be shown at the Family theatre on Sunday night.

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HAAG SHOWS.

Haag's Mighty Shows gave two exhibitions here to good sized audiences last Monday. The show is one of the biggest on the road and the performance was one of the best seen here in yearss Many of the acts alone were worth more than the price of admission and would have been a credit to the largest aggregations. Mr. Ernest Haag, owner and manager, is a gentleman of the highest tppe and made lasting friends of all who met him. Unlike most of the traveling organizations Haag's show is free from graft and gambling devices, there being a standing forfeit of a large amount for any person or persons who have been defrauded out of a penny around his tents. His show had never visited McMinnville before, yet all who visited the exhibition went away friends of the aggregation and feeling that they had never before been treated nicer, or seen a cleaner or more moral show. The announcement of a return engagement at McMinnville next spring will be hailed with delight. (Warren Co. Times, McMinnville Tenn.(

At Dixon Monday, May 26.

OPERA HOUSE.

The opera house is presenting two acts of vaudeville for Saturday and Sunday that are worth while. Mayne & Mayne, colored song and dance artists, are seen in an act which includes all the salient features of old fashioned minstrels, with up to date comedy. This clever pair, who style their number Black & Tan, are reaping a reward of applause at each performance. No. 2 on the bill, Joseph Smith comedy musical act, is a neat number. Mr. Smith is an accomplished entertainer playing equally well the banjo, violin and other instruments. There are the usual splendid pictures, and the show is very entertaining.

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DAILY NEWS EVENTS AS NOTED IN AMBOY

Amboy May 21.—Otis M. Eastman of Milledgeville was an Amboy caller Wednesday coming here to visit the schools, and meet the teachers, and get acquainted with some of the people. Mr. Eastman has been elected to the superintendency of the Amboy schools for next year, and every thing points to a very favorable school year.

Will Fell was an Amboy caler Thursday.

E. L. King was here from Lee Center today.

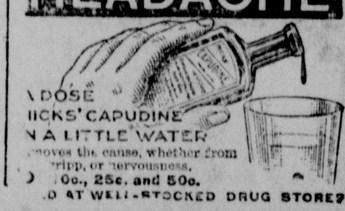
Andrew Aschenbrenner was here on business Thursday.

A special car was run on the I. N. E. Wednesday evening to accommodat those desiring to attend the commencement exercises of the rural schools.

Word was received today of the death of Miss Alice Gridley in Watertown. Funeral arrangements will be given later, but funeral services will be held at the home here and burial will also take place at Amboy.

Union services will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday evening, at which time the G. A. R., and W. R. C. will be present in a body and attend the annual memorial services. Rev. Frank Merrill will deliver the address.

CAPUDINE CURES HEADACHE



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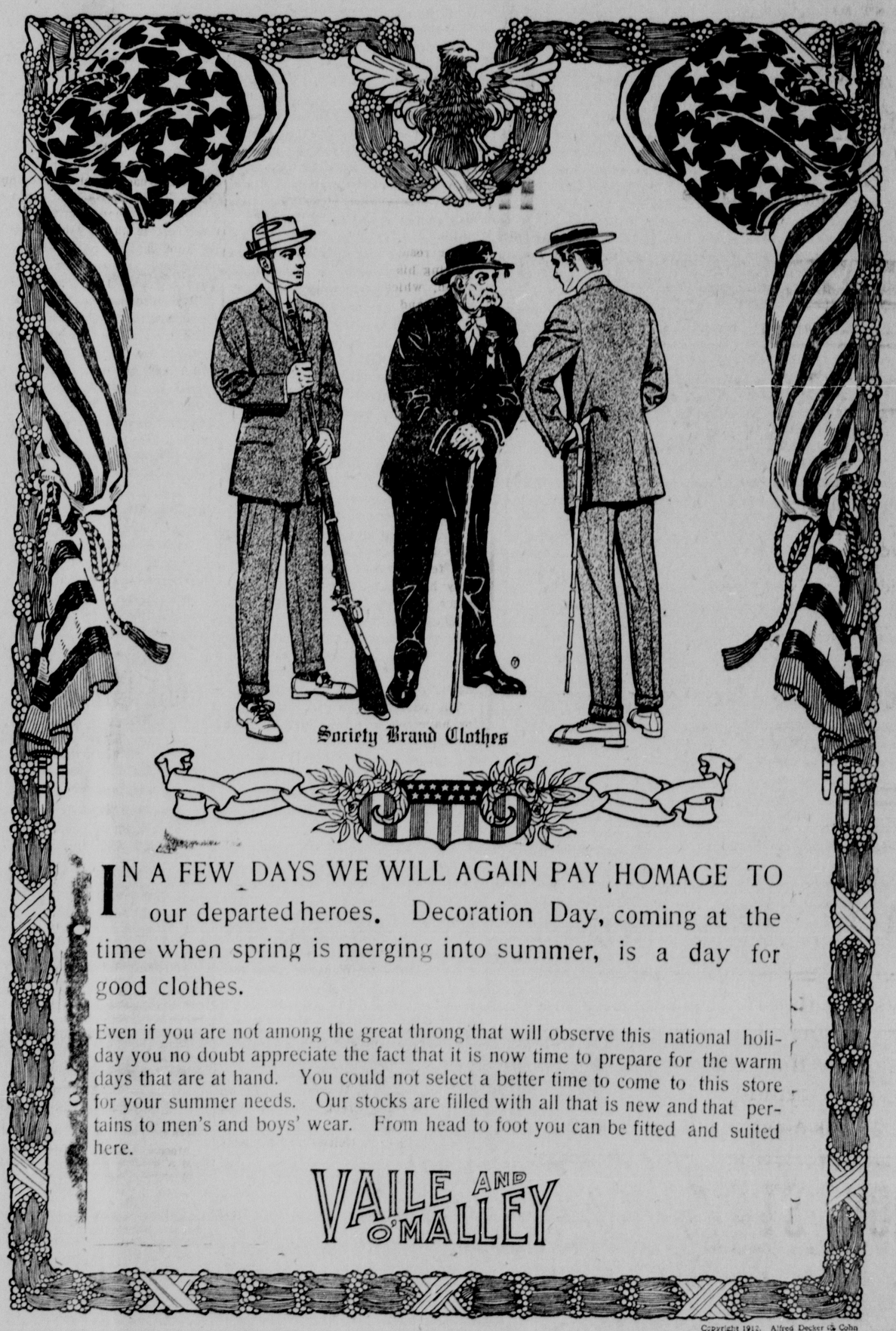

IN A FEW DAYS WE WILL AGAIN PAY HOMAGE TO our departed heroes. Decoration Day, coming at the time when spring is merging into summer, is a day for good clothes.

Even if you are not among the great throng that will observe this national holiday you no doubt appreciate the fact that it is now time to prepare for the warm days that are at hand. You could not select a better time to come to this store for your summer needs. Our stocks are filled with all that is new and that pertains to men's and boys' wear. From head to foot you can be fitted and suited here.

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed, proposals for the furning of the labor and materials for, and the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement on East First Street from the west line of Ottawa Avenue to the east line of Dixon Avenue; On Ottawa Avenue from the south line of East River Street to the north line of East First Street; and from the south line of East First Street to the north line of East Second Street; On Crawford Avenue from the south line of River Street to the north line of East First Street

Such pavement shall also be constructed in like manner, upon the whole area of Commercial Alley between the points hereinafter designated except where permanent improvements, duly authorized, have been extended into said alley and where no buildings or other permanent structures, against which brick or block may be securely laid, exist along boundaries of said alley; in which latter case a portion of the pavement, six inches wide and extending along the said boundaries, shall be constructed of portland cement concrete of the kind hereinafter specified for curbing, which portion shall have a depth of not less than one foot and the same foundation as is specified for other portions of the pavement and shall be finished with a smooth top in all respects the same as hereinafter specified for the curbing. The said Commercial Alley shall be so paved from the east line of Galena Avenue to the west line of the sidewalk already constructed on the west side of Ottawa Avenue, and from the east line of Ottawa Avenue to the sidewalk already constructed on the west side of Crawford Avenue.

And such pavement shall be extended laterally to the property lines produced, or to the permanent cross walks along such property lines produced, at and upon the intersection area common to the said street, avenues and alley, and the several streets, avenues or alleys which they intersect. Also the construction of concrete curbing on the south side of East First Street from the east line of Ottawa Avenue easterly to the curb heretofore constructed, and from the west line of Dixon Avenue westerly to the curb heretofore constructed; on the north side of East First Street from the east line of Ottawa Avenue easterly to the west line of Crawford Avenue; On the east side of Ottawa Avenue from the north line of East First Street northerly to the south line of Commercial Alley and from the north line of Commercial Alley to the south line of East River Street; On the east side of Crawford Avenue from the north line of Commercial Alley northerly to the south line of East River Street. Such curbing shall be extended at all street intersections to connect with curbs thereat constructed or to be constructed, and be curved at alley intersections and extended to the line of the adjoining property; in the City of Dixon, County of Lee, and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 144, Series of 1913 of said City of Dixon, will be by the secretary of said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's Office in the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until two o'clock p. m. on Monday, the 2nd day of June, A. D., 1913, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at the said City Clerk's office at the said hour and day, and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements will in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

SPECIFICATIONS

That the subgrade for the pavement described in Section One shall be prepared by first removing all materails found upon the roadway to be paved or filling the depressons therein to a grade 10 inches below the grade given. Such subgrade shall then be thoroughly compacted by rolling, tamping and flushing as may be necessary to produce a thoroughly compact and uniform subgrade.

Upon the subgrade so formed shall be placed a foundation of crushed stone, spread to a uniform thickness, the top of which shall be substantially six inches below the grade given. The voids in said stone foundation shall then be thoroughly filled with screenings or sand and the whole thoroughly compacted in like manner as provided for compacting the subgrade. When so compacted the surface shall be at all points substantially six inches below the grade given.

Upon the foundation so formed a sand cushion Two (2) inches thick shall be spread and shaped with suitable template. Upon this sand cushion shall be laid suitable vitrified brick or block and the spaces between such bricks or blocks thoroughly filled with with approved pitch or asphalt filler, the kind and quality shall be designated by the bidder in his bid, and rolled until the whole is a firm, compact roadway, conforming at all points to the grade given.

PAVING BRICK OR BLOCKS

The brick must be strictly No. 1 "pavers" of the size commercially known as vitrified brick or vitrified blocks as this matter may be agreed upon between the contractor and the Board of Local Improvements.

The width of the "pavers" must not vary to exceed one-eighth of an inch. They must be made of shale, be thoroughly annealed, be tough and durable, regular in size and shape, and evenly burned. When broken, the block shall exhibit a dense, stone-like body, uniform in color throughout the inside, free from lumps of uncrushed shale or clay, from lime, air pockets, cracks, or marked laminations s Kiln marks or surface cracks must not exceed three-sixteenths of an inch in depth. Blocks so distorted in burning that they will not lay evenly in the pavement will be rejected.

"Pavers" of the run or those proposed to be used in the pavement, shall be submitted to a test of an hour in the National Brick Manufacturers' Association, standard rattler adopted in 1911, under the conditions prescribed by that Association, and if the loss by abrasion in such tests exceeds such per cent of the original weight as is named by the bidder in his bid, then such brick or blocks will be rejected. Nor must the individual samples show a loss exceeding the said rate per cent.

The "Pavers" must also stand the following water test: After being thoroughly dried fo twenty-four hours at 212 degrees Farenheit, and then immersed forty-eight hours in water, they must not absorb to exceed three per cent of their own weight of water.

And regardless of when and where the bricks or blocks have been inspected, the said inspection will not prevent their rejection, at any time, from the improvement.

THE LAYING OF THE BRICK

On the sand cushion the brick shall be laid on edge, close together, in straight lines from curb to opposite curb, at right angles thereto, and perpendicular to the surface of the street. Sufficient space shall be left between courses to permit the filler to flow freely to the bottom of all voids.

In laying the brick joints shall be broken by laps of not less than three (3) inches. For this purpose broken bricks may be used in starting courses and making closures, but no piece of brick is to be less than three inches long when dressed true and square.

After the blocks are laid in the pavement, it shallbe thoroughly cleaned and inspected, and all soft and defective blocks removed and replaced with good ones.

Thereafter the pavement shall be rolled to a smooth and even surface with a road roller of not less than four (4) nor more than five (5) tons, weighing from 150 to 175 pounds to the lineal inch in width of roller.

Before rolling is begun, the pavement next the curb shall be firmly tamped to a true and even grade with a sixty-pound tamper; upon a three-inch plank, twelve inches wide and at least eight feet long. Such tamping is to be done elsewhere, also, if for any reason it is not practicable for the roller to operate in such place.

The process of rolling will then begin next to one of the curbs and proceed by narrow laps to the crown of the street. It will then begin at the opposite curb and work to the crown of the street in like manner.

All the rolling lengthwise of the street shall be done in this way, namely: from curb to crown. Transverse or diagonal rolling will be at the direction of the Board of Local Improvements.

BITUMINOUS FILLER

The pitch or asphalt for use as a filler shall be subject to approval by the Board of Local Improvements and shall be of such quality that its melting point shall be not less than 212 degrees Fahrenheit, and of such viscous tenacity that it will adhere to the brick at any temperature usual in the locality, and shall be poured into the voids at a temperature of not more than 250 degrees without having been heated to a temperature greater than 300 degrees, or other similar material equal thereto.

THE ENDS OF THE IMPROVEMENT

At the ends of the improvement there shall be laid a "header" course, from curb to curb, so dressed as to conform to the cross section of proposed improvement.

Such "header" shall be a row of paving blocks, set on end, such way of the blocksas to be four (4) inches wide, and shall be backed up with a body of macadam, six feet wide, twelve inches deep at the header, and six nches deep at the outer edge.

EARTH REMOVAL

Surplus dirt or stone not used in the construction of this improvement shall be removed to such place as the Board of Local Improvements may direct without additional compensation, but such haul shall not exceed one-half mile.

All rolling shall be with a roller weighing not less than five tons and at each rolling said roller shall be passed over every part of the surface rolled not less than four times.

Sand for this improvement shall be clean, sharp sand, free from clay, loam or gravel, all of which will pass through a screen of four meshes per inch.

CLEARING UP

All rubbish or unused material due to or connected with the construction of this improvement must be removed when the paving is completed.

CURBING

A concrete curbing shall be constructed along both sides of the roadways of said street and avenues for the entire length of the improvement, except where stone or concrete curbing now exists and except across the road-ways of the intersecting streets where it shall be turned at the curb lines thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended along said curb lines to the property lines produced, of said streets and except across the road-ways of existing driveway approaches and proposed driveway approaches for the adjoining property, where it shall be turned at the sides thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended, at right angles, to the street curbs, to the adjacent sidewalk lines.

All curbing shall be set with its road-way face along the established curb lines.

All curbing shall be constructed to grade in accordance with the grade lines herein established.

The curbing shall be twenty inches deep, eight inches thick at the base and six inches thick at the top, the batter being on the road-way face of the curb, with the back of the curb set in a vertical plane. The upper road-way edge shall be rounded to a radius of one inch.

A trench shall be excavated to a depth of six inches below the entire bottom of the curbing, twelve inches in width, on which shall be laid a foundation of sand, gravel, broken stone or cinders six inches in thickness after being compacted. This foundation shall be flooded with water and thoroughly rammed to a true and even surface.

Upon this foundation shall be set the curbing which shall be constructed so as to form one continuous and solid mass, divided every seven feet of its length into separate stones, and the concrete portion of which shall be composed of one part in bulk, of Portland cement, two parts, in bulk, of good, clean, coarse, sharp sand, and four parts, in bulk, of screened gravel of such size that the fragments shall not be larger than one and one-half inches in the greatest dimension. If sand and gravel can be found, already in said proper proportions for said concrete, the same may be used as the aggregate, and mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to five parts of the aggregate.

All cement used in the construction of said curbing shall be American Portland, dry and well seasoned and of equal or better quality than "Medusa."

The ingredients of the concrete shall be thoroughly mixed dry until the mixture shows a uniform color without streaks, then a sufficient amount of water shall be added and the whole mass shall be turned and mixed until mortar adheres to each fragment. The concrete thus mixed shall have such a consistency that when rammed the mass will not shake like jelly, but will when struck, compact within the area of the face of the rammer without displacing the matreial laterally.

The concrete thus prepared shall be immediately placed in the proper moulds and forms, well tamped and made compact before the cement has begun to set. No retempering of concrete will be permitted.

The exposed surface of the concrete shall be finished with a thin plastered coat, consisting of one part, in bulk, of Portland cement, and one part, in bulk, of clean, sharp sand, which finishing coat shall be put in place before the body of said curbing shall become dry.

All curbing shall be properly back filled for at least four feet back thereof, to a level with the top of the curbing with the materials taken from the excavation. Said back-filling shall be thoroughly tamped.

The finished curbing shall be protected from the sun and wind by covering and by sprinkling with water for at least twenty-four hours after completion.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 2185.3 cubic yards of excavation, about 51903 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion, about 1557.1 cubic yards of crushed stone in foundation, about 9341.2 square yards of vitrified brick or block pavement, with approved pitch or asphalt filler, about 1030 linear feet of cement concrete curbing as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 144 Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn upon some responsible bank doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check or cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Seventeen Thousand (17,000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfillment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is to be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements, bonds to draw interest at Five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance, maps, plats, plans, profiles, and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications may be seen at the office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, May 20th, A .D. 1913.

Signed, BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON.

By MARK C. KELLER,
Its Attorney.

NOTICE EO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals addressed to the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, and endorsed proposals for the furnishing of the labor and materils for and the construction of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement upon and along the driveway portion of the roadway of River Street being that portion lying between the south rail of the Chicago and Northwestern Railway Company's main switch track therein located and a line extending from a point nine (9) feet north of the northwest corner of Block No. 5 of the Original Town, now City of Dixon, to a point eleven and one-half (11½- feet north of the northeast corner of said block, which said line is hereby established as the south curb line of the River Street so far as related to this improvement. The said River Street shall be paved from the west line of Hennepin Avenue to the west line of Galena Avenue.

Upon and along the roadway portion, being that portion lying between the curb lines heretofore established by ordinance, of Hennepin Avenue from the north line of First Street to the south line of River Street,

Upon the whole area of Commercial Alley in the said City of Dixon between the points hereinafter designated except where permanent improvements duly authorized have been extended into said alley and where no buildings or other permanent structures, against which brick or block may be securely laid, exist along the boundaries of said alley; in which latter case a portion of the pavement, six inches wide and extending along said boundaries, shall be constructed of portland cement concrete of the kind hereinafter specified for curbing, which portion shall have a depth of not less than one foot and the same foundation as is specified for other portions of the pavement and shall be finished with a smooth top in all respects the same as hereinafter specified for the curbing to be constructed under the provisions of this ordinance and flush with the top of the finished pavement adjacent thereto.

The said Commercial Alley shall be so paved from the west line of Galena Avenue to the east line of Hennepin Avenue and from the east line of Hennepin Avenue to the east line of Peoria Avenue. And such pavement shall be extended laterally to the property lines produced at and upon the intersection space common to said street and avenue and the several streets, avenues and alleys which they intersect and properly connected with the pavement therein constructed.

Also the construction of cement concrete curbing:

On the south side of River Street from the east line of Hennepin Avenue to the west line of Galena Avenue.

On the west side of Hennepin Avenue from the south line of River Street southerly to the curb already constructed.

Such curbing shall be extended at all street intersections to connect with curbs thereat constructed or to be constructed, and be curved at alley intersections and extended to the line of the adjoining property.

In the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois, as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 145, Series of 1913, of said City of Dixon, Illinois, will be received by the Secretary of said Board of Local Improvements at the City Clerk's Office in the said City of Dixon, Lee County, Illinois, until two o'clock p. m., on Monday, the 2nd day of June, A. D. 1913, and will be publicly opened by the said Board of Local Improvements at a meeting to be held at the said City Clerk's Office at the said hour and the same day and at the same time and place said Board of Local Improvements will in open session examine such proposals as have been delivered to it and publicly declare the same.

SPECIFICATIONS.

That the subgrade for the pavement described in Section One shall be prepared by first removing all matearials found upon the roadway to be paved or filling the depressions therein to a grade 10 inches below the grade given. Such subgrade shall then be thoroughly compacted by rolling, tamping and flushing as may be necessary to produce a thoroughly compact and uniform subgrade.

Upon the subgrade so formed shall be placed a foundation of crushed stone, spread to a uniform thickness, the top of which shall be substantially six inches below the grade given. The voids in said stone foundation shall then be thoroughly filled with screenings or sand and the whole thoroughly compacted in like manner as provided for compacting the subgrade. When so compacted the surface shall be at all points substantially six inches below the grade given.

Upon the foundation so formed a sand cushion two (2) inches thick shall be spread and shaped with suitable template. Upon this sand cushion shall be laid suitable vitrified brick or block and the spaces between such bricks or blocks thoroughly filled with approved pitch or asphalt filler, the kind and quality shall be designated by the bidder in his bid, and rolled until the whole is a firm, compact roadway, conforming at all points to the grade given.

Paving Brick or Blocks.

The brick must be strictly No. 1 "pavers" of the size commercially known as vitrified brick or vitrified blocks as this matter may be agreed upon between the contractor and the Board of Local Improvements.

The width of the "pavers" must not vary to exceed one-eighth of an inch. They must be made of shale, be thoroughly annealed, be tough and durable, regular in size and shape, and evenly burned. When broken the block shall exhibit a dense, stone-like body, uniform in color throughout the inside, free from lumps of uncrshed shale or clay, from lime, air-pockets, cracks, or market laminations. Kiln-marks of surface cracks must not exceed three-sixteenths of an inch in depth. Blocks so distorted in burning that they will not lay evenly in the pavement will be rejected.

"Pavers" of the run of those proposed to be used in the pavement shall be submitted to a test of an hour in the National Brick Manufacturer's Association, standard rattler adopted in 1911, under the conditions prescribed by that Association, and if the loss by abrasion in such tests exceeds such per cent of the original weight as is named by the bidder in his bid, then such brick or blocks will be rejected. Nor must the individual samples show a loss exceeding the said rate per cent.

The "Pavers" must also stand the following water test: After being thoroughly dried for twenty-four hours at 212 degrees Farenheit, and then immersed forty-eight hours in water, they must not absorb to exceed three per cent of their own weight of water.

And regardless of when and where the bricks or blocks may have been inspected, the said inspection will not prevent their rejection, at any time, from the improvement.

The Laying of the Brick.

On the sand cushion the brick shall be laid on edge, close together, in straight lines from curb to opposite curb, at right angles thereto, and perpendicular to the surface of the street. Sufficient space shall be left between courses to permit the filler to flow freely to the bottom of all voids.

In laying the brick, joints shall be broken by laps of not less than three (3) inches. For this purpose broken bricks may be used in starting courses and making closures, but no piece of brick is to be less than three inches long when dressed true and square.

After the blocks are laid in the pavement, it shall be thoroughly cleaned and inspected, and all soft and defective block removed and replaced with good ones.

Thereafter the pavement shall be rolled to a smooth and even surface with a road roller of not less than four (4) nor more than five (5) tons, weighing from 150 to 175 pounds to the lineal inch in width of roller.

Before rolling is begun, the pavement next the curb shall be firmly tamped to a true and even grade with a sixty-pound tamper; upon a three-inch plank, twelve inches wide and at least eight feet long. Such tamping is to be done elsewhere also, if for any reason it is not practicable for the roller to operate in such place.

The process of rolling will then begin next to one of the curbs and proceed by narrow laps to the crown of the street. It will then begin at the opposite curb and work to the crown of the street in like manner.

All the rolling lengthwise of the street shall be done in this way, namely: from curb to crown. Transverse or diagonal rolling will be at the direction of the board of Local Improvements.

Bituminous Fller.

The pitch or asphalt for use as a filler shall be subject to approval by the Board of Local Improvements and shall be of such quality that its melting point shall be not less than 212 degrees, Fahrenheit, and of such viscous tenacity that it will adhere to the brick at any temperature usual in the locality and shall be poured into the voids at a temperature of not more than 250 degrees without having been heated to temperature greater than 300 degrees, or other similar material equal thereto for such purpose.

The ends of the Improvement.

At the ends of the improvement there shall be laid a "header" course from curb to curb, so dressed as to conform to the cross section of proposed amendment.

Such "header" shall be a row of paving blocks, set on end, such way of the blocks as to be four (4) inches wide, and shall be backed up with a body of macadam, six feet wide, twelve inches deep at the header, and six inches deep at the outer edge.

Earth Removal.

Surplus dirt or stone not used in the construction of this improvement shall be removed to such place as the Board of Local Improvements may direct without additional compensation, but such haul shall not exceed one-half mile.

All rolling shall be with a roller weighing not less than five tons and at each rolling said roller shall be passed over every part of the surface rolled not less than four times.

Sand for this improvement shall be clean, sharp sand free from clay, loam or gravel, all of which will pass through a screen of four meshes per inch.

Clearing Up.

All rubbish or unused material due to or connected with the construction of this improvement must be removed when the paving is completed.

Curbing.

A concrete curbing shall be constructed along the road-ways of said street and avenue for the entire length of the improvement, except where stone or concrete curbing now exists and except across the road-ways of the intersecting streets where it shall be turned at the curb line thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended along said curb lines to the property lines produced, of said streets and except across the road-ways of existing driveway approaches and proposed driveway approaches for the adjoining property, where it shall be turned at the sides thereof, with a radius of five feet, and extended, at right angles to the streets curbs to the adjacent sidewalk lines.

All curbing shall be set with its road-way face along the established curb lines.

All curbing shall be constructed to grade in accordance with the grade lines herein established.

The curbing shall be twenty inches deep, eight inches thick at the base and six inches thick at the top, the batter being on the road-way face of the curb with the back of the curb set in vertical plane. The upper road-way edge shall be rounded to a radius of one inch.

A trench shall be excavated to a depth of six inches below the entire bottom of the curbing, twelve inches in width, on which shall be laid a foundation of sand, gravel, broken stone or cinders six inches in thickness, after being compacted. This foundation shall be flooded with water and thoroughly rammed to a true and even surface.

Upon this foundation shall be set the curbing which shall be constructed so as to form one continuous and solid mass, divided every seven feet of its length into separate stones, and the concrete portion of which shall be composed of one part, in bulk, of portland cement, two parts, in bulk, of good, clean, coarse, sharp sand and four parts, in bulk, of screened gravel of such size that the fragments shall not be larger than one-and one-half inches in the greatest dimension. If sand and gravel can be found already in said proper proportions for said concrete, the same may be used as the aggregate, and mixed in the proportion of one part of cement to five parts of the aggregate.

All cement used in the construction of said curbing shall be American Portland, dry and well seasoned and of equal or better quality than "Medusa."

The ingredients of the concrete shall be thoroughly mixed dry until the mixture shows a uniform color without streaks, then a sufficient amount of water shall be added and the whole mass shall be turned and mixed until mortar adheres to each fragment. The concrete thus mixed shall have such a consistency that when rammed the mass will not shake like jelly, but will when struck, compact within the area of the face of the rammer without displacing the material laterally.

The concrete thus prepared shall be immediately placed in the proper moulds and forms, well tamped and made compact before the cement has begun to set. No retempering of concrete will be permitted.

The exposed surface of the concrete shall be finished with a thin plastered coat, consisting of one part, in bulk, of Portland cement, and one part, in bulk, of clean, sharp sand, which finishing coat shall be put in place before the body of said curbing shall become dry.

All curbing shall be properly back filled for at least four feet back thereof to a level with the top of the curbing with the materials taken from the excavation. Said backfilling shall be thoroughly tamped.

The finished curbing shall be protected from the sun and wind by covering and by sprinkling with water for at least twenty-four hours after completion.

The work for which said tenders are invited is the construction of about 386 linear feet of cement concrete curbing, about 1592.20 cubic yards of excavation, about 759.44 cubic yards of crushed stone in foundation, about 249.33 cubic yards of clean sand in cushion; about 4549.96 square yards of Vitrified Brick or Block Pavement (laid) with approved pitch or asphalt filler as provided for in Local Improvement Ordinance No. 145, Series of 1913, of the City of Dixon, Illinois.

Each bid for this work must be accompanied by certified check or cash for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of such proposals. All certified checks must be drawn on some responsible bank

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MARKETS

Corn	.52	55
Oats	.32	35
Butter	.28	33
Lard	.11	15
Potatoes	.30	50
Chickens	.17	20
Ducks	.17	20
Eggs	.16	20
Turkeys	.18	22

BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS FURNISHED BY C. P. HERRICK—SHAW BLDG.
Chicago, May 24 1913

Wheat				
May	90⅝	92	90⅜	92
July	90	90½	90	91⅜
Sept	89½	90½	89⅜	90½
May	58	58	57⅞	58
July	57⅝	57⅝S	57⅜	57⅝
Sept	58⅛	58¼S	57⅞	58¼
Oats				
May	41¼	41¼	40¼	40½
July	38⅜	38½	37¾	38¼
Sept	37⅞	38	37⅜S	37⅞
ork				
May	2000	2000	1980	1980
July	1982	1987S	1980	1982
Lard				
May	1110	1110	1110	1110
July	1102	1102	1100	1102
Ribs				
May	1200	1200	1200	1200
July	1132S	1132	1130	1132

Hogs open slow at Friday's average.
Left over—2472.
Light—840@862 1-2.
Mixed—835@862 1-2
Heavy—805@855.
Rough—805@820.
Cattle and sheep steady.

Receipts today—
Hogs—12,000.
Cattle—400.
Sheep—1000.
Hogs close active and steady
Estimated Monday—46,000

LAMSON BROS and COMPANY

Dixon, May 24.

Wheat: Additional damage from Kansas and Oklahoma gave sharp dally to market. Sharp advances are easy. The country reported covering wheat at southwest markets. Much eahrly buying from that direction. Northwest markets did not advance with winter wheat markets. While friedly to wheat for next 30 or 60 days we do not believe conditions jus tify following extreme bulge with buying orders.

Corn: Increase in volume of advices of country shipts and fresh pur chases from country held corn steady while wheat advanced. The close is unchanged to 1-8 higher. Monday's statistics may appear bullish and local stocks will be low. Recepts will be increasing. There is every prospect of good run of corn to market in June.

Oats: Market held its own. Country offerings increase. Farmers getting more for oats now may sell. Recent rains improved some oats. Iowa prospects brilliant.

Provisions: Interest was in grain. Recepts at western markets in excess of last year. Cash trade continues fair and buying of lard was believed for packers.

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doing business in said City of Dixon and must be payable to the order of the President of the Board of Local Improvements in his official capacity. No bids will be considered unless accompanied by such certified check in cash.

Said cash or certified checks will be held by said Board of Local Improvements until all the bids have been canvassed and the contract has been awarded and signed. The return of said checks or cash to the successful bidder being conditioned upon his appearance within Fifteen (15) days after having been notified of the award having been made to him or them, accompanied by his or their bondsmen and executing a contract with said Board of Local Improvements for the completion of the work so awarded and giving a bond satisfactory to the said Board of Local Improvements.

A bond of Nine Thousand (9000) Dollars will be required conditioned for the fulfilment of the contract in accordance with the ordinance and specifications and to the satisfaction of the said Board of Local Improvements. All proposals must be made on blanks which will be furnished bidders at said City Clerk's Office.

The payment for the work for which said tenders are invited is o be made in cash or bonds, payable when the contract is complete, and the work accepted by the Board of Local Improvements, bonds to draw interest at five per centum. No bid will be considered unless the party making it shall furnish evidence satisfactory to said Board of Local Improvements of his experience and ability in this class of work and that he can control sufficient capital to enable him to successfully prosecute the same in case the contract shall be awarded to him.

Bidders will examine the ordinance maps, plats, plans, profiles and specifications and also the locality in which said work is to be done and judge for themselves of all the circumstances and surrounding conditions affecting the cost and nature of the work.

Specifications may be seen at the Office of the City Clerk of the City of Dixon from and after this date.

The Board of Local Improvements reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, May 20th, A. D. 1913.

Signed, BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON,

By MARK C. KELLER,
Its Attorney.

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DIXON CHIZENS GLADLY TESTIFY AND CONFIDENTLY RECOMMEND DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS

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Thirtieth Year No. 125

LL SHOULD ATTEND MASS MEETING NEXT THURSDAY EVENING

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VMENT FOR GREATER DIXON

rs of One Organization Will Members of Both—Officers Will Elected Thursday Evening.

you, Mr. Citizen, planning to he mass meeting at the city 8 o'clock Thursday evening n active part in ehe organ- a young men's auxiliary to Citizens' association? You to be there, every one of re expected to be present. hursday evening meeting the new branch of the tion will be elected, and sent who signifies his in oining the c'ub will have ty to vote for the man It is planned to elect Dixon who are interity's growth and pros- is hoped that when ted they will feel the of the trust and will thusiasm and tireless a Greater Dixon. they can do and they the job they have un- child's play.

rs plan to have pro- by-laws for many wise move, for they ble to interest many ving them directly intimately connec- in branches of the ould carefully study g business men in ommittee appoint- t only those whom ll take a lively in- rk, and when they n the committee, one who will work work of boosting left to a few men, ve been unable to the duties that , and its is time others who are re- of the work with in it, should get the wheel. leawake far see- ic pride and com- e you to join in Obey the impulse Thursday night, one else who n Dixon' future,

MEETING TONIGHT

S TO COME IONERS

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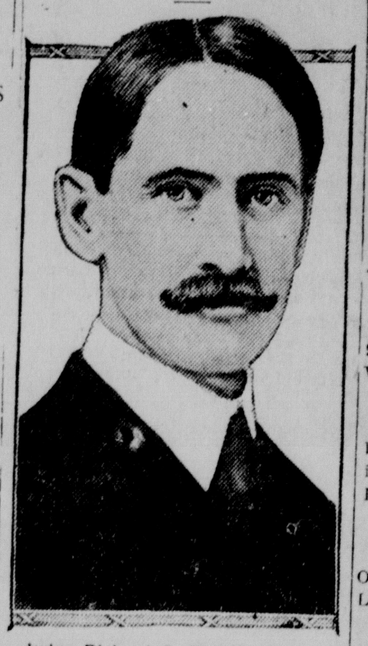

Judge Richard C. Flannigan of Ishpeming, Mich., is the magistrate before whom the Roosevelt-Newett libel case is on hearing this week.

TO PRESS LIBEL SUIT

Roosevelt Is Due in Michigan Next Week.

Will Attempt to Show That Editor Was Wrong In Making Charge Of Drunkenness.

Marquette, Mich., May 24.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt next Monday will attempt to show that George A. Newett, publisher of the Iron Ore, a weekly paper of the neighboring city of Ishpeming, was in error when he published an editorial statement that "Roosevelt gets drunk, and that not infrequently, and all his intimates know it."

The hearing before Judge Richard C. Flannigan is expected to draw forth crowds that will overflow the courtroom.

The suit charges libel, and the plaintiff asks $10,000 as damages. It is estimated that the trial will consume two weeks.

When the suit was filed Judge Flannigan got pledges from both parties to the suit to refrain from discussing the case and to keep secret the contents of depositions and the names of witnesses. The pledges have been kept.

The former president is expected here Monday, the day of the trial. He will be the guest of his friend, George Shiras. His attorneys are James H. Pound of Detroit, Mich., and W. S. Hill of Marquette. Mr. Newett will be represented in court by William P. Belden of Ishpeming and Horace Andrews of Cleveland, O.

Mr. Newett in the campaign of last year remained in the ranks of the Republicans, and the publication of the Roosevelt editorial was an incident of that struggle.

This only is known of his defense: he will claim that publication of the article was privileged as comment on a public character running for public office, and as a secondary line of resistance he will attempt to prove that the editorial spoke the truth.

Buffalo, N. Y., May 24.—Col. Theodore Roosevelt has accepted an invitation to speak at a direct primary rally here under the auspices of the Progressive party on Monday evening June 2.

AGED MAN ADMITS GUILT

Surprises Court With His Plea to Manslaughter Charge.

Duluth, Minn., May 24.—"Yes; I've said that I killed the man. I'm sixty-four years old. You can do what you like with me. I don't care. I won't live to be more than seventy years, anyway."

This was the confession of Peter Perelli to Judge Dancer in the district court when allowed to plead guilty to a charge of manslaughter in the first degree.

Perelli, in a momentary fit of rage because he had been called "Macaroni," hurled a cuspidor at Michael Lenovitch, a fellow inmate at the poor farm, March 26 last. The blow was fatal.

WILSON PARDONS A BANKER

St. Louis Teller Gets Freedom After Repaying Funds He Appropriated.

Washington, May 24.—The president pardoned Albert Schoenee, paying teller of the Central National bank of St. Louis, Mo., who was convicted of appropriating $1,400 of the bank's funds January 21, 1913. Schoenee repaid the money.

Start for Suffrage Congress.

New York, May 24.—The steamer Finland was dotted with groups of suffragettes when she started from her pier this morning on her journey to Antwerp. The ladies are on their way to Budapest, where they will attend the world's international congress of the Woman Suffrage alliance, which will be held in that city from June 15 to 21. The itinerary of their tour covers Antwerp, The Hague, Amsterdam, Berlin, Dresden, Vienna and Budapest, Venice, Florence, Pisa, Rome, Naples and other Italian points.

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NOTICE OF BOND SALE.
Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, May 29th, 1913, at one o'clock p. m., the undersigned Supervisor of the Town of Viola, Lee County, Illinois, will offer for sale at the First National Bank of Compton, Illinois, six thousand dollars worth of bonds of said Town of Viola, in denominations of $500 each.
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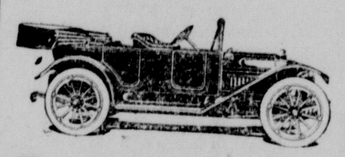

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